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# FRANCE IS GIVEN CENTRE GROUP GOVERNMENT

## Thousands File By Bier of George V Canadians Among Throng Honoring Memory of King

Two Lines of People Four abreast Move Past Catafalque Where Lies Body of King George V in Old Westminster Hall in London; Line in Streets More Than Mile Long

Canadian Press and Associated Press  
London, Jan. 24.—The first of 1,000,000 sorrowing pilgrims filed to-day past the bier of King George V—a black catafalque, approached on purple-carpeted steps, in the ancient Palace of Westminster.

There the new King, Edward VIII, and the bereaved royal family left their liege for four days of public homage before the final service and burial next Tuesday at Windsor.

By 1 p.m., more than 40,000 persons had filed past the catafalque.

### KINGS WILL BE AT FUNERAL

European Monarchs Will Attend Entombment of Late King George V

Canadian Press

London, Jan. 24.—Arrangements are practically complete for the funeral next Tuesday of the late King George V. The body is now lying in state in Westminster Hall, where thousands of persons to-day filed past the bier.

As Big Ben boomed 8 a.m. the nation's pilgrimage began. When the famous clock strikes 10 p.m. Monday, authorities said, at least 1,000,000 of the dead sovereign's subjects—men, women and children alike—will have joined in this last act of tribute.

LIFE MILE LONG

A queue more than a mile long swelled outside the hall by noon today as the first of the ranks, four abreast, marched into the great hall and past the coffin.

Seven women, among the first to enter, collapsed and were treated at a nearby hospital after passing through the hall.

Canadians were numbered among those who filed past the bier.

Long before last midnight crowds gathered in the streets about Westminster Hall and when a rain-washed dawn broke over the roof tops of London, the queue stretched nearly a mile.

Through the great south window of Westminster Hall the crowds could see the glow cast by the flickering candles where the dead monarch lay.

At each of the four corners of the catafalque stood a guard, his head bowed. A little deeper in the gloom stood four Yeomen. One of the latter, exhausted by the ordeal, collapsed and was carried from the hall. Without a word, another took his place.

FOUR ABREAST

When the crowd of pilgrims at last surged into the building, it was

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### ROOSEVELT'S VETO REJECTED BY HOUSE

U.S. President's Opposition to Veterans' Bonus Overridden 324 to 61; Senate Expected to Follow Suit

Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 24.—A heavily Democratic House voted 324 to 61 to override President Roosevelt's veto of the \$2,491,000,000 war veterans' bonus bill.

Only a two-thirds majority was needed.

From the cheering Representatives, who refused to delay the ballot even a day, the bill goes to the Senate, where a vote is not possible until Monday. The Senate was not in session to-day.

There, too, leaders forecast the bill

### EGG YOLKS BLUE, GREEN OR BROWN

Canadian Press  
Concord, Jan. 24.—Milky may now have egg yolks to match her breakfast gown.

Experts attending the convention of the New Hampshire Poultry Growers say they can provide blue-yolked eggs for the woman who eats her morning meal in blue dimity.

Other colors specified are green and brown.

will be made law over President Roosevelt's opposition. Senator B. C. Clark, Missouri Democrat, said.

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### Opposition Voiced To Land Sales Plan

City Council Diffrs Widely on Scheme Advanced to Place Reversions Back on Tax Roll; Action Would Destroy Values, Opponents Claim

Plans to press the sale of reverted property in the city, originated by the lands committee, ran into strenuous opposition at yesterday evening's City Council meeting and were finally shelved for consideration by the estimates committee.

The debate followed controversy over a motion by the lands committee to have all negotiations regarding the disposal of reverted property re-

### HAILE SELASSIE USES RADIO



His army may lack some of the types of guns and other equipment needed in modern warfare, but Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia takes no chance of being beaten in the battle for favorable world opinion. Standing at his right hand above, during a broadcast from Addis Ababa, is pictured Josef Israels, New York publicity counsellor, who is the Emperor's public relations expert.

### Ex-Victorian Is Called Benefactor Of All Mankind

### NO CHANGE IN HOLIDAY PLAN

Tuesday Will Be Observed As Full Public Holiday in British Columbia

The public holiday proclaimed for British Columbia next Tuesday, the day of the late King George's funeral, will stand as ordered, Premier Patullo said to-day.

Orders-in-council covering the holiday have been issued and various ceremonies arranged. Any change now would lead to confusion, the premier explained.

As it stands now, the usual Wednesday half-holiday will be canceled. The net effect will be one half-day out of the business week.

### SOUTH AFRICAN LOYALTY VOTE

Resolution to King Edward Passed By Parliament; Republicans Walk Out

Canadian Press From Reuters' Capetown, Jan. 24.—The Republic's opposition party, with nineteen members, quietly rose and walked out of the legislative chamber to-day when Prime Minister J. B. M. Hertzog moved an address congratulating King Edward VIII on his accession to the throne. A resolution assuring the King of South African loyalty was then passed without opposition. Republican Leader Marian Hobson moved a resolution that the condolences of Parliament to the Queen Mother may be forwarded to Queen Mother Mary.

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### BANKS TO CLEAR WALKS OF SNOW

Associated Press  
Hartford, Conn., Jan. 24.—Held into court for not shoveling snow from sidewalks in front of their homes, several residents denied they owned the property. Banks had taken them over, they said.

John Jacob Schwolsky sent police officers to notify the bankers snow shoveling had become a part of their business.

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### JAKE THE BARBER TO PAY \$1,300,000

Associated Press  
London, Jan. 24.—The Chancery Division of the courts-to-day announced John "Jake the Barber" Factor, Chicago securities operator, had agreed to pay \$1,300,000 to British shareholders who had brought claims against him.

### WILL ERECT NEW THEATRE

Atlas Movie House to Be Built on Yates Street; Work Starts in Two Weeks

Work on the erection of a new movie theatre on Yates Street, two doors up from the Dominion Theatre, on the lot formerly occupied by the used car department of the Begg Motor Company, will begin in two weeks. John Garrard, who is acting as agent for Dr. G. Preiswerck, said this morning.

The house will be known as the Atlas Theatre and will seat 700, and will handle second-run pictures.

The lot has already been purchased, the architect's plans are prepared and the contracts have been let.

Eric C. Clarkson, architect, has designed a building in the most modern style, with special attention to the comfort of patrons. Mr. Clarkson has had experience in connection with the motion picture business in Hollywood.

The cost of the building is estimated at \$60,000.

Mr. Garrard will act as manager when the new theatre goes into operation.

The theatre will be operated on an independent basis.

TO TURN OLD BRIDGE OVER

Agreement on Fraser River Structure Finally Reached

When the provincial government's new \$3,500,000 bridge across the Fraser River at New Westminster is completed the province will remove the upper bridge deck of the old bridge and then transfer title of that structure to the Dominion Government for use by railway traffic. It was explained here to-day following yesterday's announcement that federal approval had been given the bridge plans.

This is the alternative accepted by the provincial government to provide for railway traffic when the new bridge is finished. Otherwise the Dominion would have required the province to put a lift span in the old bridge of not less than 250 feet horizontal clearance and 145 feet vertical clearance above freshet level in place of the old swing span.

The plans for the new bridge, as approved by Ottawa, call for a main span of 450 feet with vertical clearance above freshet waters of 140 feet, thus enabling ocean vessels to pass to and fro underneath.

The bridge will have four lanes for traffic, only fog and vehicle traffic accommodation being provided.

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### Four Before Court On Hold-up Charges

C. Russell and E. Dunbar Charged With Murder in Vancouver; Remanded For Week

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Jan. 24.—Charles Russell and Earl Dunbar, charged with the murder of William H. Hobbs, teller, during a bank hold-up here last week, and Fred Healy and Walter Davies, charged as being accessories to the crime, appeared in police court to-day and were remanded one week for preliminary hearing.

Hobbs died in a hospital January 16, less than twenty-four hours after he had been shot in the neck by one of a trio of gunmen who walked into the Powell Street branch of the

Canadian Bank of Commerce and escaped with more than \$1,000.

Russell, Dunbar and Davies were arrested the night of Hobbs' death in a late-night police raid on an east end rooming house. Healy, alleged to have rented the house where the

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### RIO DE JANEIRO HAS HEAT WAVE

Associated Press  
Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 24.—Rio de Janeiro experienced an unprecedented heat wave to-day. Thermometers registered 100° Fahrenheit in the shade.

Street urchins got laughs and pennies from passersby by frying eggs on the pavement.

## Sarraud Ministry Hopes To Last Till Republic's Spring General Election

### NEW SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



Hon. W. E. Foster of New Brunswick, above, just appointed Speaker of the Senate, will preside in the Upper Chamber when Parliament meets February 6.

### ITALIANS TELL OF VICTORY

Claim Complete Success in Battle in Northern Ethiopia

Associated Press

Rome, Jan. 24.—The Italian Government to-day made public a communiqué from Marshal Pietro Badoglio reporting a complete Italian victory in northern Ethiopia concluding a three-day battle.

The guardian of the treasury had nothing to add to the generalities voiced by Premier Pattullo on his return earlier in the week.

"The Premier said all there was to say," remarked Mr. Hart.

He will leave for Victoria to-night.

It is expected that after Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, reaches Victoria this week-end, the financial scheme laid down at the Ottawa conference will be fully discussed with the provincial cabinet.

Beyond the general announcement made after the conference finished, it has not been specifically stated whether British Columbia would accept the John council plan or not, because it involves certain controls over provincial financing. Premier Pattullo has been equally reticent on this point.

New Radical Socialist-Centre Group Cabinet, Pledged to Collective Security in Europe, Expects to Command Same Majority in Chamber as Laval Led; Crisis Ended by Sarraud's Success in Forming Cabinet

Canadian Press from Havas  
Paris, Jan. 24.—Premier Albert Sarraud took power in France to-day with a cabinet pledged like its predecessor to defend the franc and preserve France's traditional policy of collective security abroad.

The Sarraud ministry, like that of Mr. Laval, is a Radical Socialist-Centre combination expected to command the same majority which kept Laval in office for eight months. It is steered away from the left-wing People's Front and will attempt to carry on government until the spring elections.

Former Premier Pierre Etienne Flandin took over the Foreign Office and former Premier Joseph Paul Boncour returned as Minister of State.

The official cabinet list was announced to-day as follows:

Premier and Minister of the Interior, Albert Sarraud; Justice and Vice-premier, Yvon Delbos; Foreign Affairs, Pierre Etienne Flandin; Minister of State, Joseph Paul Boncour; Finance, Marcel Regnier; War, Gen. Louis Félix Maurin; Navy, François Pietri; Air, Marcel Desclerc; Commerce, Georges Bonnet; Communications, Georges Mandel; Public Work, Camille Chaumepé; Education, Henri Guernut; Agriculture, Paul Théberier; Colonies, Jacques Stern; Labor, Louis de Chappesdale; Public Health, Louis Nicolle.

Formation of the Sarraud cabinet brought to an end the crisis precipitated by the resignation of Premier Laval, who quit office when the Radical Socialist Party withdrew its support and the five radical ministers in the cabinet, led by Edouard Herriot, resigned their posts.

IS 1936 MINISTRY  
M. Sarraud is a veteran of the Radical-Socialist Party.

The cabinet he has formed is the 101st government of the Third Republic.

ANTI-FASCIST DECLARATION

Yesterday the Radical-Socialist announced they would support M. Sarraud only if he would try to carry out his three-point programme.

1. Maintenance of the current parity of the franc.  
2. Defense of the Republic against Fascist threats.  
3. Reform of French foreign policy, keeping it within the framework of the League of Nations.

Supporters of the new ministry hope it will continue in control till the polling throughout France in April or May.

FIRST ELECTED IN 1902  
The new Premier's political career began in 1902 when he was elected deputy from the Aude. He occupied

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ILLNESS DELAYS TRIAL  
Vancouver, Jan. 24 (Canadian Press)—J. H. Birks, former Royal Canadian Mounted Police sergeant, who is charged with the theft of \$7,300 of police funds, was given a further remand till February 1 in police court to-day. Birks has been ill for some time and is unable to appear for trial.

THE THREE ON YACHT FOUND FROZEN

New York, Jan. 24.—A storm tragedy was disclosed on Delaware Bay with recovery of a yacht near Cape May, N.J., with its crew of three frozen to death. The lightship Nantucket was still adrift off the Massachusetts coast.

Mediterranean Pact New Europe Test

Italy, Protesting Security Group Formed By Britain, Says It Is "Danger For European Peace"

Associated Press  
Rome, Jan. 24.—Italy warned the socialist nations of the mutual assistance pact between Great Britain, France, Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia.

Italy served warning at Geneva two days ago she would protest the mutual assistance pact between Great Britain, France, Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia.

Disclosure of the five-power agreement to pool military, naval and air forces against any Italian attack was made officially through the League

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## Constitutional Views Heard

Supreme Court of Canada Listens to Arguments on Bennett Acts

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—While a king lay dead in England and a new monarch sat on the throne of the British empire, the Supreme Court of Canada to-day considered royal prerogatives and their extent to foreign political action.

Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., of Toronto, Dominion counsel in the constitutional appeal, introduced the subject to-day in arguing three Dominion laws based on Geneva labor conventions were valid. He traced the royal prerogative from days when the king was absolute until to-day when his discretionary powers have almost disappeared.

The measures under being tested before the court are three of the eight Bennett "New Deal" acts—those for a forty-eight-hour industrial week, minimum wages and one day's rest in seven.

In Canada, said Mr. Rowell, the King's prerogative, for instance, the pardoning of criminals, was exercised by cabinet. In effect, since the Statute of Westminster, all prerogatives of the King were exercised by the cabinet which was responsible to Parliament and the people. Prerogative powers no longer were the property of the King but the privilege of the government of the day.

### TREATY RATIFICATION

Mr. Rowell contended the Dominion cabinet could ratify a treaty without consulting Parliament merely by exercising the royal prerogative. Earlier in Canadian history, Canada was bound by English treaties, but for many years had conducted its own foreign negotiations. But to conform to the royal prerogative, treaties were signed in the name of the King.

Mr. Rowell read the 1926 Imperial Conference resolutions which referred to Dominions as "autonomous communities . . . equal in status . . . though united by a common allegiance to the crown."

Chief Justice Duff said this showed clearly they could not be called independent nations.

Mr. Rowell agreed, but insisted each Dominion was supreme in negotiating treaties and all aspects of foreign relations.

### NO ADVICE

Mr. Rowell told Mr. Justice Crocket in his opinion the United Kingdom government could not advise Canada on the amendment of the British North America Act. Its constitutional field ended with its own domain.

The final recognition of Canada's control over foreign affairs was establishment of legations in Washington and Tokyo, Mr. Rowell asserted.

## U.F.A. REMAINS POLITICAL UNIT

Alberta Party Only Farm Group Now Seeking Power in Canada

Canadian Press

Edmonton, Jan. 24.—The decision of the annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta to remain in the political field leaves the foot-hills farmers the only farm group left in Canada seeking political power.

Once the power behind the Alberta provincial government, with strong representation in the House of Commons as well, the U.F.A. lost all its legislative representation in the landslide of Social Credit candidates in the provincial election last August and the Dominion election last October.

Farmers organizations of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Ontario, once powerful factors in the political field, have since stepped out of the ring to concentrate on educational work

and economic effort. The United Farmers of Canada, Saskatchewan section, definitely turned away from politics as an organization in 1934 and the United Farmers of Manitoba last November reaffirmed the stand they had taken several years ago to forego political action.

### WOULD HAVE GONE TO C.C.F.

If the convention had voted yesterday to withdraw from politics, the political machinery would have been turned over to the C.C.F.

President Robert Gardner, while urging the delegates to delay definite decision for a year, protested against the resolution, proposing the party cease political action, which, he believed, revealed an attempt to use the U.P.A. indirectly for political action of another organization.

"If we go out the front door," he told the delegates, "we should not permit some other political organization to come in through the back door."

Maintaining its present status the U.P.A. will carry on:

1. The educational work of the U.P.A. as an economic group;

2. Political activities; and

3. Build up its co-operative societies for the benefit of the farm people.

### ABERHART CRITICIZES

Edmonton, Jan. 24.—Decision of the United Farmers of Alberta convention here yesterday to continue as a political organization drew condemnation of Premier Aberhart.

"I am sorry to hear the U.P.A. is continuing political activity," he said. "I rather think the present government has the interest of the farmers principally at heart to protect them and to warrant their full co-operation with us, particularly in view of the fact that the U.P.A. has no representation in the present legislature."

This move would appear to be a trio on the wheels of progress from an economic point of view."

## TWO PERISH IN OTTAWA FIRE

Forty-six Made Homeless As Blaze Consumes Six-door Tenement House

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—The charred body of Gwendolyn Gladman, twenty, was recovered from the ruins of the Gladman home to-day in suburban Eastview. Firemen had combed the ruins of what had been a six-door tenement house for hours in an attempt to find the body of the crippled girl, whose mother, Mrs. Thomas Gladman, lost her life when flames destroyed the building in freezing weather shortly before dawn.

Three other persons were injured. Both Gladman and her son, taken to a hospital suffering from shock and minor burns, Joseph Lafourte, fifty-five, a neighbor, received a fracture of one foot resulting from a smoke explosion; Robert Holt, another neighbor, was burned about the face, but not seriously.

Occupants of the six apartments numbered forty-six. Except for the dead and injured the tenement were rushed into neighboring homes as soon as they had escaped from the burning building into the blizzard. In scanty night attire, they felt the sting of the sub-zero weather.

The fire had its start in one of the cellars and was followed by a couple of smoke explosions which blew out the east end of the tenement and shattered every pane of glass in the building.

Besides the tenement an adjoining structure was destroyed.

### Mediterranean Pact New Test For Europe

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In the form of a British memorandum published Wednesday,

Jugoslavia's adherence received the approval of the other two members of the Little Entente—Romania and Czechoslovakia.

To-day's Italian memorandum

stated that Britain, in beginning the interchange of assurances, acted on her own initiative as head of the League of Nations.

### SAFETY NOT MENACED

It reaffirmed "explicitly" Italy does not intend her colonial action in Ethiopia to "constitute a menace to European peace."

Hence, Italy protested, the Mediterranean security actions were unnecessary and dangerous because they disclosed military conversations had taken place between League members against another League member in preparation for an "arbitrary and non-existent hypothesis."

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Canadian Press—From Hayes

Geneva, Jan. 24.—Spain to-day aligned itself with the Mediterranean powers in pledging mutual assistance under the League of Nations covenant against any unprovoked Italian aggression.

This means that Spain with Great Britain, France, Greece, Turkey and Yugoslavia now is pledged to give mutual assistance should a conflict arise in the Mediterranean.

Romania and Czechoslovakia also have promised mutual assistance.

Canadian Press—From Hayes

London, Jan. 24.—The League of Nations committee of experts on oil sanctions, it was learned from authoritative sources to-day, will include representatives of Great Britain, France, Belgium, Norway, Sweden and seven or eight oil-producing countries. It will examine from a technical standpoint the effectiveness of applying an oil embargo against Italy.

Annual Dinner—Burns Club, Saturday, February 1, 8 p.m., Empire Hotel, Dress optional. \*\*\*

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## New Silver Dollars Out Soon In Canada

Coins Will Be Last Bearing Likeness of Late King George V

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—A new silver dollar, the last to bear the portrait of King George V, will be in circulation soon. Inquiry at the State Department elicited the information that the necessary proclamation will appear in the near future. The machinery of the Royal Canadian Mint will then proceed to turn out the new coin.

The new coin will be issued to supply the general demand for silver dollars. Arrangements were made for its issuance some little time ago.

As King George was alive in 1933, the year of its issue, the new dollar will bear his portrait and not that of the new King. Coins issued after the close of this year, however, must bear the portrait of King Edward VIII.

When coins bearing the portrait of the present King are struck the head will be facing right and not left as is the head of the late King. That is the custom.

### SOUTH AFRICAN LOYALTY VOTE

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### ACTION SCORED

Government members strongly denounced Dr. D. P. Malan and his followers for marrying the unanimity with which the British Empire had greeted the new King-Emperor.

Malan's party was formed in 1933 when the Nationalists and the South African party merged to form the United South African National Party headed by General Herzog and General Jan C. Smuts.

The Afrikaner element in the Nationalist group rejected fusion, holding out for republicanism and the preservation of Afrikaner culture.

Elaborate preparations were made for to-day's ceremony in Parliament. The public galleries were draped in black and purple inscribed with the name of the new King. The Governor-General, the Earl of Clarendon, opened the session by reading from the Throne the announcement of the death of George V and his son's accession.

A hushed House and crowded gallery heard his words of tribute:

"The bonds uniting the people of our land to his late Majesty do not cease to strengthen with the passage of the years."

"We honored him as the chief of state, but we knew also how great was his personality which commanded the esteem and affection of everyone. Their grief to-day is genuine and profound."

Glasgow, Jan. 24.—Thirteen Leftist members of the Glasgow city corporation voted against a resolution of sympathy and loyalty to King Edward VIII.

The resolution passed, however, by a vote of fifty-seven to thirteen, after the leader of the Lefts had called royalty the "basis of capitalism."

### HOW IT IS APPLIED

Dr. Hartman issued the following directions for use of the solution:

"This is a topical application, made on a moistened pellet of cotton, not saturated, directly to the dentine or caries. Allow pellet to remain in contact one minute for children, one and a half minutes for adults. Remove pellet and apply blast of warm air to area of application. Use rubber dam. If cotton rolls are used, varnish gauze surrounding tooth and change cotton rolls immediately after application. One-half ounce sufficient for 200 applications."

### WORKED WITH FATHER

This outstanding Canadian chaser of molar aches and pains fell into his profession naturally. His father, Dr. F. M. Hartman, practised dentistry in Victoria for forty-five years.

Dr. Hartman, the younger, graduated from Victoria College and the Northwestern University, then practised in partnership with his father for two years before striking out on his own.

He came to the Columbia professorship in 1924.

### CARTOONS TO APPEAR

Canadian Press

New York, Jan. 24.—In addition to being a boon to suffering mankind through the discovery of his new dental pain-killer, Dr. Leroy Hartman, formerly of Victoria, B.C., is a big help to-day to New York cartoon colony. The dentist's idea is a fertile field for the penniman.

The Herald-Tribune suggests in a cartoon that President Roosevelt has his New Deal Technicians turn out a cartoonist democratized as a handy aid for his political forces soon going to the polls.

A third suggests Dr. Hartman produce a pain-killer for little Johnnie to soak in the seat of his britches before taking home a weak report card from school.

### FALLS FROZEN

The United States falls at Niagara were completely dammed as they froze over and no water went over the cataract.

One of the winter's worst blizzards blustered its way along the lower St. Lawrence River. Canadian National Railway trains between Levis and Riviere du Loup, Que., were completely tied up.

Dispatches told how at Montreal the temperature was 14 below zero at dawn. Some passenger trains were as much as twelve hours late into Montreal.

The Maritime Provinces were not missed by the frigid blast, according to dispatches. Moncton had 5 degrees below zero and Charlottetown reported 2 below zero.

### PEACE RIVER WEATHER

Edmonton, Jan. 24 (Canadian Press).—Moderately cold weather prevailed in the Peace River country this morning, according to reports received here. The temperature at Peace River town was 12 below zero. In the Peace River Block to the west there was a difference of 30 degrees or more with 10 above zero reported at Hudson Hope, B.C. Three inches of snow fell at Fort St. John.

DEATHS IN U.S.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Intense cold which paralyzed the upper half of the United States, leaving almost 100 dead and widespread property damage, to-day apparently headed for the Atlantic Ocean as moderating temperatures with more snow were forecast generally.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars in property damage was caused by fires. Three villages in upper New York virtually were burned out by flames carried by high winds.

International Falls on the Minnesota-Canadian border again turned in the record low temperature for the United States yesterday with a minus 56 degrees.

At Newark, Ohio, forty relief workers and five teams were trapped for twenty-eight hours. They survived by cutting trees and building fires.

NEW YORKERS SHIVER

New York experienced the most frigid January 23 in its history.

Twenty-five to 32 degrees below range yesterday were Minnesota, Wisconsin and parts of Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Parts of New York State, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Eastern Kansas, Nebraska and the Dakotas saw readings of 10 to 20 below zero.

SPORTS POSTPONED

Los Angeles, Jan. 24.—The Junior Chamber of Commerce found too much sunshine interfering with its plans to-day. While other parts of the United States were getting more than their share of sub-zero weather, the chamber's winter sports carnival had to be postponed because there was no snow.

PIRELL'S VETO REJECTED BY HOUSE

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author of the measure, predicted not more than twenty votes would be cast to sustain the veto against the thirty-three-year-old.

It was the second time in a year the House had tossed aside a presidential bonus veto. The vote to sustain the veto to-day was only two greater than that cast against the bill's original need.

It was the second time in a year the Senate had failed to meet until Monday, so final action was delayed over the weekend. Leaders there predicted the Senators would join the Representatives and make the \$2,491,000 billion bill over the President's opposition.

Members barely waited to hear the reading of the brief, hand-written veto message before demands of "Vote, vote" were shouted on the floor.

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## Basic Changes In Relief Indicated

Widespread Maintenance and Construction Programme Mooted in Place of Present System

In anticipation of basic changes in the provincial government's administration of relief, along lines calculated to abolish the present system and institute a widespread works programme, Alderman P. R. Brown yesterday evening urged the City Council to secure the most favorable terms possible for the city.

Alderman Brown said he understood the provincial government had under consideration a new scheme which would form a basis of operation for a considerable time, probably fifteen years. He thought the city should press for some alteration in the tax set-up and seek relief from the burden of social services.

Indication of a change was seen in a letter from E. W. Griffith, provincial administrator of relief, calling for statistics on various features of work in the city.

In the communication Mr. Griffith said Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, desired to obtain accurate information showing normal municipal expenditures during the years 1925-27 as compared with expenditures during the latter years of the depression in order that he might be in a position to place before the government before the commencement of the new fiscal year recommendations and plans to assist municipalities in the carrying out of maintenance or construction programmes on a work basis in place of the present relief system.

The suggestion was advanced the matter be taken up with the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, but the council finally decided to experiment with the scheme as an optional course for owners of bicycles. No compulsion will be used to have owners make registration, but if they wish to secure the extra protection they may list their machines with the police.

The suggestion was advanced the committee room in the City Hall at a cost of \$350 was referred to the estimated committee, with Alderman Stanley Okell remarking: "I think there are lots of better ways of spending money than that. The room is good enough for its purpose."

"Please give the annual expenditure for the years designated of all capital costs covering civic public works, roads, bridges, sidewalks, waterworks, etc., subdividing the same into labor costs and material costs."

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## Basic Changes In Relief Indicated

Widespread Maintenance and Construction Programme Mooted in Place of Present System

In anticipation of basic changes in the provincial government's administration of relief, along lines calculated to abolish the present system and institute a widespread works programme, Alderman P. R. Brown yesterday evening urged the City Council to secure the most favorable terms possible for the city.

Alderman Brown said he understood the provincial government had under consideration a new scheme which would form a basis of operation for a considerable time, probably fifteen years. He thought the city should press for some alteration in the tax set-up and seek relief from the burden of social services.

Indication of a change was seen in a letter from E. W. Griffith, provincial administrator of relief, calling for statistics on various features of work in the city.

In the communication Mr. Griffith said Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of British Columbia Municipalities, but the council finally decided to experiment with the scheme as an optional course for owners of bicycles. No compulsion will be used to have owners make registration, but if they wish to secure the extra protection they may list their machines with the police.

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In 1900 Mr. Simonds started a newspaper career which began with The New York Tribune and included service as a writer and editor on The New York Evening Post, United States and The Review of Reviews.

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Amicable Settlement Reached Between Aldermen on Campaign Issue

A threatened brush between Alderman R. A. C. Dewar and Alderman Ed Williams, over alleged election charges by the latter that works under the city's relief department and on the \$100,000 loan projects had yielded little of permanence to the city, ended amicably at yesterday evening's council meeting. When the two aldermen had finished presenting their cases Mayor Leeming good-naturedly declared the argument a draw.

Arising out of a previous meeting, a detailed report on the \$100,000 loan projects was presented, showing the work accomplished, the estimates earmarked for each and the amount of money spent to date.

TO REFUTE STATEMENTS

Alderman Dewar said he had asked for the report to refute statements attributed to Alderman Williams. Alderman Williams, he said, might have referred to the relief work and not the \$100,000 loan projects. He was still wrong, Alderman Dewar said.

To illustrate his claim the alderman cited Hollywood Park, Johnson Street extension, Macdonald Park and several other works as samples of permanent work done by relief.

Alderman Williams replied by quoting from his own radio speech on December 11. He had not attacked the \$100,000 loan projects, he said.

"My idea was and is now that we should raise the system of relief to the level of the \$100,000 loan projects," he said.

Alderman Archie Wills asked how much of the loan had been appropriated to date. The mayor replied about \$42,000.

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It was up to the council to decide whether it wished to rush reverted property back on to the tax roll or to take slower action in order to protect the assessment, Mayor Leeming said.

Alderman Andrew McGavin said he wished to see the land back on the tax roll.

Alderman Walter Luney said sale of city-owned land prices below the assessment tended to destroy the value of adjacent property. In good districts sales should be in keeping with the assessment, he said.

Alderman J. D. Hunter said he wished to see all reversions taken off the sales list. He saw no reason against securing legislation to allow the city to rent out the land on long term leases, up to ninety-nine years at a charge covering taxes and 3 per cent of the assessment. He thought sales at low prices by the city depreciated values, but that long term leases would encourage building and increase city revenue. He had, he said, a motion to that effect to introduce later in the meeting.

LAND IMPROVED

"I don't think one parcel was sold by the land committee last year that was not improved almost immediately," Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, chairman of the lands committee, said: "As a result of 1935 sale he thought the city was getting more revenue. Such sales, however, might depreciate real estate values, he admitted.

Mayor Leeming cited figures from the city's reverted property auction last year.

"I question very much if the city land had been kept off the sales list altogether last year there would have been any fewer reversions," Alderman Dewar said.

People were moving out of Victoria to secure lower taxes, he added. He questioned the wisdom of such action, since transportation costs and other services, in his opinion, increased their living expenses to an extent equal to the higher city taxes.

"When you realize land is below the pre-boom 1909 level in assessed value you wonder where land values are going," the mayor remarked.

Alderman Archie Wills questioned the effect of city land sales on reversions as claimed by the mayor.

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## VICTORIAN WINS HIGH HONOR

**VICTORIA HAS DESERVED PROMINENCE** abroad because of her natural beauty, charming surroundings, attractive homes and gardens and luxuriant flowers. She now enters the Valhalla of an even wider distinction at the coat-tails of one of her gifted sons who has just established himself as a real practical benefactor of mankind wherever there is such a thing as a working and workable tooth. Dr. Leroy Hartman, who was born, educated and grew to manhood in this city, and is now Professor of Dentistry at Columbia University, New York, has recently announced to the world his discovery of a formula which, according to a special correspondent of the Canadian Press, spells "doom to the 10,000 little devils who inhabit every dental drill."

Dr. Hartman has been experimenting for twenty years with a view to establishing a more comfortable relation between the occupant of a dentist's chair and the buzzing little drill which can send more frigid waves down the spine and provoke more spasms of apprehension and sudden twinges of pain than any other agency operated for a beneficial purpose. A short time ago, after satisfactory tests, he was able to disclose a formula which when applied to a tooth deadens it to a degree which enables the dentist to drill away without the slightest painful reaction for the owner of the tooth.

The new formula is simple and inexpensive and its discoverer has given it to the world without any reservation. This is a rather unusual proceeding in our materialistic state in view of the obvious opportunities his discovery gives him for amassing great wealth. No doubt there are many practical economists who have mournfully decided that Dr. Hartman is not a sagacious businessman.

The New York newspapers have shown exceptional interest in Dr. Hartman's discovery, because it involves the human factor wherever King Toothache's far-flung demoniac legions carry on their nefarious activities. But at first they believed that the news which came from the doctor's laboratory was to good to be true. One of them, therefore, sent a member of its staff whose teeth needed fixing to Dr. Hartman's office for a trial. The scribe, who not unnaturally was somewhat skeptical when he sat on the chair and regarded himself as a martyr to science, reported after the work was done that he had not felt the slightest semblance of pain. In fact, the buzz of the drill sounded musically in his ears, and he seemed to detect in its varying cadences the catchy theme tune of the "Merry Widow" opera.

Dr. Hartman's discovery should do more than to remove the apprehension of people who after long hesitation submit themselves to dental operations. It should remove much of the hesitation itself, and encourage people to consult their dentists more promptly, thereby saving themselves considerable expense and improving their health through the adequate protection or correction of their teeth. Fear of the dentist's chair, of the succession of poignant twinges which dart out from a ragged nerve when the drill drives into it, often causes people to postpone the day of dental reckoning until it is too late. In the care of the teeth a stitch in time saves nine. Dr. Hartman's discovery should make more universal the prompt, practical application of the adage, especially when the stitch becomes almost melodious.

The gifted Victorian's formula also should facilitate the work of the dentist, which in most instances is complicated by the nervousness of patients whose contortions call for a much greater concentration and exhaustion of nervous energy by the operator than otherwise would be necessary. With occupants of dental chairs freed from the fear of pain, able to keep themselves properly relaxed, dentists now should be able to do their work more quickly, more effectively, and a good time can be had by all. For all this, thanks to Dr. Hartman whose splendid humanitarianism in giving his discovery to the world openly without regard to personal gain raises him to a high place on the eminence reserved for public benefactors.

## IN THE OLD DAYS

**A MAINLAND CONTEMPORARY** quotes The London Times of January 18, 1836, the report of a police court case in which a hackney-coachman was charged with taking sixteen more than his legal fare. Sir Robert Gill, the informant, told the court that he employed the defendant to drive him from Wimpole Street to York Chambers in St. James's Street.

It appears that the hackney tariff one hundred years ago for that distance was a shilling, but passenger Sir Robert Gill obviously was a very methodical person, for he produced for the court a little book that told him that he could have gone a distance of three streets farther for a shilling, adding that he always carried a book of that sort with him to prevent imposition.

The hackney-coachman, however, was equal to the occasion. In his defence he pleaded that he was obliged to turn out of the regular route to St. James's Street "in consequence of the road being impassable from the sewers undergoing repair." Not only that, he was quite prepared to have the ground measured to demonstrate to the court that he had driven his "fare" more than a mile. Sir Robert, on the other hand, said he had gone the same distance before, and had never paid more than a shilling. Still, the "cabby" wanted the route measured. In the end the two parties to the case settled the matter without further proceedings.

This little incident of a hundred years ago takes us back to the days of the handsome cab of the pre-taxi period, when it used to be a good idea for a

"fare" to reckon a penny—two cents—a minute as the correct bill for the journey, thus giving the driver what was considered the appropriate "tip."

Woe betide the "fare" who was not sufficiently careful to bear in mind this estimate. If he paid only the legal tariff as he alighted from the cab, he was usually greeted with "Good-night, Mr. Vanderbilt," or "Good-night, Your Royal Highness." Either of these parting salutations used to be sufficient to produce the expected "tip."

## PROMPT AND EFFECTIVE

**THE EFFECTIVE REACTION OF VANCOUVER'S POLICE FORCE** to the recent bank robbery and murder calls for special complimentary comment. The crime was committed on Wednesday, January 15, the bank cashier who was shot expiring on the following day. Within a few hours of the death of the victim of the shooting the police had rounded up three suspects, two of whom were charged with murder and one with being an accessory to the crime. Within a few days later several other arrests were made. Last Wednesday, after discovering the quarter in which two men suspected of being implicated in the robbery and murder were believed to be hiding, the police surrounded the premises and the fugitives, when cornered, killed themselves.

This swift sequel to major crime was an exceptionally good piece of police work. It suggests that, given adequate numbers and facilities, Vancouver's police force is able to give so conspicuous an account of itself as to create a salutary impression in the underworld. But there are other desirable sequels, if that impression is to be maintained and they have to do with the processes of our tribunals of justice. These should be just as prompt and thorough as the operations of the Vancouver police have been; even if it is necessary to call the courts into special session before the regular periods set for them.

## LUCKY VICTORIA

**WE ARE WITHIN NODDING DISTANCE** of the end of the first month of 1936 and so far the calendar winter months have produced no snow and only a few white frosts. There has been rain but not in such quantity as we had it this time last year. But when we think of what the people of the east and middle west are having to put up with we feel the urge to brag about our climate a little bit. Imagine temperatures of fifty degrees below zero, while we in Victoria have been basking in a temperature, which yesterday, for example, was eighteen degrees above freezing point. Our maximum was fifty and our minimum forty.

We propose to touch wood, for we may get a minor cold snap, but at present there is a bright sun shining and Victoria citizens are walking about the streets and looking at the bulletin in the windows of The Times building without topcoats. The muffled-up individual is as scarce as a hen's tooth. The weatherman has our full and unqualified permission to do all that in his power lies to continue this comfortable meteorological condition.

## OUR REVERTED LANDS

**THE COMMITTEE OF THE CITY COUNCIL** in charge of the administration of property which has reverted to the municipality for non-payment of taxes wants to have the abandoned lots returned to the taxation and revenue-producing roll, and has proposed an appropriation for a campaign of advertising for that purpose. It believes that if the lands were disposed of on terms satisfactory to buyers subject to the condition that buildings be erected upon them, the exodus of city residents to the adjoining municipalities which is causing grave concern in civic quarters would be appreciably discouraged. If any considerable proportion of the many thousands of lots which have reverted to the city could be restored to the tax roll, the general taxation would be reduced and the whole community would benefit.

The committee's reasoning is sound enough. In fact, it is hard to see how property reversions and the growing outward trek can be countered in any other way. The problem of city taxation can not be permanently solved by the provincial or Dominion governments, neither of which can contribute more than a temporary alleviation. Nor is there the faintest prospect of the incorporation of the adjoining municipalities with Victoria, except with their own consent, and there is no promise of that until taxation in this city becomes less burdensome. There are certain advantages in living in Victoria which more than compensate for a higher taxation than that in operation in the neighboring communities, but the adverse margin now is regarded by many people as excessive. It could be greatly reduced by the return of a material proportion of reverted property to the tax roll.

## What Other Papers Say

## THE PATHETIC SEQUEL

The Ottawa Journal

A statement of the Ontario Motor Vehicle Department the other day revealed 41,983 persons had been injured in automobile accidents in Ontario in the last five years, and 2,492 dead. These statistics, cold and matter-of-fact, carry their own moral. But there is more. What about the irreparable grief brought to bereaved families, sometimes left without support?

## AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED\*

The Ottawa Journal

Let this, then, be among your good resolutions: I will drive safely. I will not leave my good manners at home. I will drive at reasonable speed, will take no chances, will signal my movements to cars behind me, will pay close attention to lights and signs. I will not insist upon my legal right of way when to do so may cause an accident.

## THE BORAH PRESIDENTIAL "BOOM"

The Boston Christian Science Monitor

To-day reaction against Rooseveltism has strengthened and emboldened the conservative wing of the G.O.P. One guess—which may be no better than some others—is that the Borah delegations will obtain a few nice-sounding concessions to progressivism in the party platform and help prevent the nomination of a too utterly backward-leading candidate, and that Mr. Borah will come back to Washington with new prestige as Idaho's perennial contribution to the senatorial surveillance of world affairs.

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## Loose Ends

Mr. Eden is sure of it — Mr. Mussolini is sure of it — Mr. Wells is sure of it — so maybe we had better prepare for it.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## CHEERFUL PROSPECT

MR. EDEN, the exquisite, stuck up before his country constituents the other night and calmly observed in the course of a few genial, after-dinner remarks, that another war would destroy civilization. Mr. Mussolini, talking to Anne O'Hare McCormick, of The York Times, about the same time, said that another war would destroy civilization. Mr. H. G. Wells, leaving for England after a period of celluloid and night clubs in Hollywood, said another war would destroy civilization, and added that it would occur about 1940. It seems agreed on all sides that another war will destroy civilization, and meanwhile every nation is acting on the assumption that the war will occur shortly.

This is a spectacle to which historians may devote some attention. Never has a generation of people faced certain disaster with such fortitude. Here we are on the edge of final cataclysm; here we are about to destroy our civilization at one blow; here we are on the eve of world suicide, but people go about their business as usual. Ten generations from now, when they have built a new civilization, they will imagine that the people of this time, knowing that they were doomed, must have gone about in fear and trembling, must have rushed to the churches to pray, must have fortified their souls for a better life beyond the grave. They will hardly believe that this generation rushed to the movies to see Clark Gable and fortified themselves with cocktails. They will never know, ten generations from now, how brave we were, knowing that we were about to jump off the deep end, out of civilization into chaos.

CARROTS

IT IS INTERESTING to speculate on how a civilization is destroyed; what actually happens; what processes of destruction are. We know what happened in Rome when its civilization was destroyed, but this will be different, because we are more highly organized, more mechanized, and much less independent than the Romans. Most of our population cannot feed itself. Only a few like me know how to grow cabbages, even. The rest of you will starve in forty-eight hours at most, if civilization and its much-abused system of distribution were destroyed. There will be only a few of us out here, with a potato pit and a few carrots in the ground, who will eat at all. Even now I can picture you streaming out here in mobs, with guns and knives, to take our potatoes and our carrots from us when civilization is destroyed. I can picture rich men and jeweled women from Rockland Avenue fighting to the death for one of my sprouts of broccoli. All the jewels on Rockland Avenue, all the bonds of the British Columbia government will not be sufficient to buy one or my cabbages.

No doubt we shall have to fight for our great wealth. We may have to die for our cabbages. If I read another speech by Mr. Eden or Mr. Mussolini, I shall feel it necessary to go out and buy a machine gun and some ammunition for use on the day when civilization is destroyed.

THE CAVES

IT WILL BE INTERESTING to see the people of this civilization going back to caves and wearing skins. You can derive a good deal of innocent amusement simply by imagining as you walk down the street to-day, how the people you see will look in skins. Just watch the Civil Service streaming out of the Parliament Buildings of an evening and imagine how it would look in skins. A lot of skinny people will den up in the great stone caves across the Bay after civilization has been destroyed.

I dare say, after civilization has

been destroyed, our island will be cut off entirely from the mainland. Travel will cease. We shall become a separate race, free to develop our own characteristics and talents, untainted by the culture of inferior races. Within a generation we shall develop an accent of our own—a new language much more euphonious than the one we have now, although we will preserve our golf and bridge idioms.

GOVERNMENT

WE SHALL DEVISE some rough form of tribal government, no doubt; a council of elders, perhaps, with a paramount chief at the head. I can almost see Paramount Chief Leeming ordering the tribesmen to remove some of the accumulated bones and animal carcasses from Douglas Street, between the mud houses, and Chief Medicine Man George Warren attracting visitors from other tribes up the island with barbaric snake dances before the fire, and the naked tribesmen worshipping the sacred White Bear, and the Chief Constable attending to those who drink too much of our native logberry juice, distilled by that cunning magician, Chief Herb Ancomb. Yes, and I can see those ghastly green and red lights at the intersections burning low and then going out altogether and rustling and falling to the ground, making us mere men once more.

Altogether, the destruction of civilization may not be such a bad thing after all. The real danger is that it may not die. It may insist on going ahead, just as it is now, stop-and-go lights and all.

LETTERS

These letters must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the names and addresses of the writers, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Letters will not be re-written for publication. If they are not legible no attempt will be made to read them.

Letters no. used will not be returned to the writer.

Letters containing offensive personal reflections will not be printed.

These rules, which henceforth will be carried out absolutely, are designed as much for the protection of our patient readers as for that of The Times.

CAUTION!

The Times will not assume responsibility for the return to the writers of articles sent for publication in the Correspondence Column or anywhere else in this newspaper, whether they are published or not, unless they have been specially solicited.

SO THERE!

To the Editor:—Yesterday's Times says the King will have the moral support of all bachelors in his hard struggle to get through this Leap Year in single file. It is to be hoped that, on the contrary, His Majesty will set an example for the bachelors of the empire by choosing a Queen as soon as possible. If he should do so, there are some of us girls who neglected our opportunities in the last five or six Leap Years, who intend to show that we mean business this year. This is both an instruction and a warning. So there! JUNO.

THREE-CORNERED MOON\*

To the Editor:—Being an admirer of good clean drama and being a stranger in your city, I dropped into a theatre last evening to see the

By George Clark

SIDE GLANCES

Three-cornered Moon," and in all

my experience of drama I never heard

such objectionable language used as

on stage. The play itself was too

silly for any stage, and no drama in

a family of millionaires, you

would expect them to be dressed ac-

cordingly, but they looked to me

more like a family on relief. The

part played by Fraser Lister was

the best by far. When you hear people

leaving the theatre talking about the

vulgarity of the piece it is about

time it was stopped. A stitch in

time saves nine.

EDMONTONIAN

NON-WORKERS MUST TALK

To the Editor:—Tuesday night I

heard some young fellows on the air,

and I wish to comment on one of the

remarks they made. One fellow—I

don't remember his name—was speak-

ing on general conditions of the world

to-day and said, "What this country

needs are non-talking workers and

non-talking non-workers." As you

can readily see, this is a gross insult

to us who are unfortunate enough to

be unemployed and wish to better

our lives.

It is any fault of ours that we

are not working? How will people know

we are not working if we don't tell them?

I therefore feel I am justified in

saying that every man has the right

to bring his case to the public, even

through mass meetings if that is

necessary.

If this letter is printed probably

# Goods Marked For January Sale Saturday

## WOMEN'S FINE Shoes \$4.95

Just to look at these Shoes is to satisfy yourself as to their quality. And they are as good as they look! Smart new lasts and patterns in suedes and kids—Pumps, Ties and Straps.

Only for the fact that the sizes have been broken, these Shoes would still be at their originally much higher price!

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

## Bonafide Bargains Saturday in the Children's Dept.

**CLEARANCE OF CHILDREN'S PULLOVER LEGGINGS** —with zipper or button fastening. In navy, white, red and fawn. Sizes 2 to 5 years. Regular \$1.50, a pair.

**CLEARANCE OF CHILDREN'S SUEDINE SUITS** —with hats to match. Two-piece style, with pullover leggings and jackets buttoned to neck—or one-piece style. In fawn, green and red. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Values to \$4.95. On sale at

—First Floor

## 16 ONLY CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS \$1.00

Children's Umbrellas of strong construction, with 10-rib paragon frame and amber tips and ferrule and handle to match.

Black or Navy

—Main Floor

## CORSELETTES and GIRDLES On Sale Saturday at HALF PRICE!

This is your chance to purchase a very high-grade Foundation Garment—at the price you would pay for an ordinary one! All the newest types—and all in perfect condition—but not all sizes in each style.

**CORSELETTES** are featured in satin "Lastex," French batiste, and silk brocade, including some low-back evening models and heavy inner-belt styles.

**GIRDLES** in semi-step-in style with brocade and satin fronts and "Lastex" backs; side-hook models in peach brocade; heavy and very light models.

—Corsets, First Floor

## 700 Pairs of SERVICE-WEIGHT Silk Hose 69c

Subs. of a Regular \$1.25 Line.  
To Clear, Per Pair

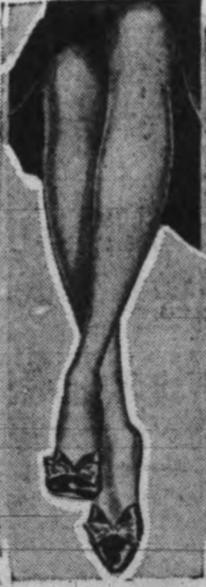
Don't run short on hosiery, when you can buy them at this big money-saving price. Substandards of a reliable make, full fashioned, with silk to lisle welt. A good assortment of popular shades, and sizes 8½ to 10½.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

## ODDMENTS IN CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Regular Values 59c.  
To Clear Spencer Day, a Pair

Clearance of several broken lines, consisting of Girls' Long Silk Hose, Mercerized Cotton Ribbed Hose, Wool Half Socks, Lisle Half Socks and Wool Ankle Socks.



—Hosiery, Main Floor

## POPULAR MUSIC

25c Per Copy

"Music Goes 'Round and 'Round," "Postman Passes My Door," "Sleepy Time In Topsy Turvy Town," "I Wanna Woo," "Let It Be Me," "Rhythm In My Nursery Rhymes," "On Treasure Island," "Quicker Than You Can Say 'Jack Robinson'"

—Music Dept., Lower Main Floor

## Shirley Ann Home-made Candies

1-lb. Box Assorted, regular 50c, for 35¢

Peanut Crisp, regular 30c per lb., for 25¢

—Lower Main Floor,  
Douglas Street Entrance

Attractive designs in this hard-wearing Linoleum. Limited amount, so shop early.



## MISSES' AND WOMEN'S Daytime Frocks \$2.95

Sizes 14 to 20, Saturday

One of these Dresses in the mornings, for street or business wear. A wide and varied collection, including samples and oddments and small close-out lots from better-grade Dresses. Plain rayon, crepe and many shades. Novel trimmings and pleats make them popular with miss or matron.

—Mantles, First Floor

## PARTY AND DANCE FROCKS \$6.49

Sizes 14 to 44 in the Lot.

Regular \$12.95, for

Oddments of several of our best-selling Frocks are grouped for this "close-out." Materials include crepes, taffetas, matelasses and other novelty weaves. Many have separate jackets of velvet or self materials. They will go out quickly, so shop early.

—Mantles, First Floor

## SMART TAILORED FROCKS \$10.95

HALF SIZES, 16½ to 26½

Just in! About 15 brand-new Frocks, made specially for Spencer's. Shorts, stouts, will welcome this chance to get a style dress made especially for type. Mostly navy. Strictly tailored effect; beautiful style.

—Mantles, First Floor

## WOMEN'S CARACUL COATS \$25.95

Black, Fawn and Grey. Clearing at ...

They are the type of Coat that is gaining interest and popularity. Distinctively smart, with slim, fitted lines. Values you will be quick to appreciate when you see them. Sizes 14 to 20.

—Mantles, First Floor

\$25.95

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—Mantles, First Floor

## SMART FALL AND WINTER HAT \$1.00 and \$2.00

On Sale Saturday at \$1.00 and \$2.00

Six tables on display in our Millinery Department goes on sale Saturday.

SHOP EARLY—or you will miss the very Hat you are looking for—the one that might suit you best!

Roast Turkey LUNCHEON

40c

SATURDAY

11:30 to 2:30

Dining-room, Third Floor

Glace Kid Gloves

Regular \$2.95.

On Sale at ...

\$1.69

Included in this assortment are some of the finest French Kid Gloves—odd lines and broken sizes, taken from our regular stock. Smart cuff effects of the newest styles, in shades of grey, beaver, nut brown, beige and eggshell.

All Sizes in This Assortment

—Gloves, Main Floor

## Half Price Sale of Neckwear

This is your big chance to get a new Collar or Collar and Cuff Set—at exactly half the price you would pay in the regular way! Satin, Crepe, Pique and Georgette Collars in numerous styles from which to choose; some slightly shop soiled. At

HALF PRICE

## FRILLINGS AND VESTINGS

Regular 50c to \$2.00 a Yard. To Clear, Yard

Clearing odd lines of Colored Frilling and Cream or White Vesting. A genuine Spencer Day bargain!

10c

Neckwear, Main Floor

## 300 Square Yards of SCOTCH PRINTED LINOLEUM 59c

Regular 69c Square Yard.

Spencer Day

Attractive designs in this hard-wearing Linoleum. Limited amount, so shop early.

—Linoleum, Second Floor

## TOWELS

On Sale Saturday

EXTRA LARGE BATH TOWELS in brown or green. Ideal for men's use. Size 33x54 inches. Each

79c

WHITE BATH TOWELS in fancy rib.

Large size. Each

59c

TERRY TOWELS in fancy colored checks.

Each

23c

STRIPED TERRY ROLLER TOWELS, ready for use; 2½ yards long.

Each

39c

PURE LINEN DISH OR GLASS TOWELS, 2 for

25c

22-INCH PLAIN LINEN TEA TOWELING, per yard

21c

—Staples, Main Floor

## January Sale of Silks

200 YARDS OF TAFFETA AND MOIRE SILK, 38 inches wide. A generous range of shades. Ideal Silks for evening wear. On sale, per yard

\$1.25

ROSEBUD CREPES, recommended for their great wearing texture, that launder well, and are shown in pink, blue and white, with small designs in contrasting colors. Suitable for lingerie and children's wear. On sale, per yard

98c

CREPE SUPERB, a rich soft-draping Dress Silk of superior quality. Shown in a wide range of shades, 38 inches wide. On sale, per yard

79c

SUEDE TAFFETA, a reliable Silk with a suede finish. A Silk suitable for lingerie and children's wear. A choice of colors, 38 inches wide. On sale, a yard

49c

—Silks, Main Floor

—Main Floor

## CHURCH GROUP PLANS BANQUET

Emmanuel Trail Ranger Camp to Hold Father and Son Affair

The recently organized Emmanuel Trail Ranger Camp of the Church of Our Lord will hold a father and son banquet in the Criddle Memorial Hall on Friday, February 7 at 6:30 p.m.

An interesting programme has been arranged and an enjoyable evening of fellowship is expected. The guest speaker will be Prof. E. R. Parr of Victoria College who will give an address on "A Boy's Relationship to His Dad."

All men and boys of the congregation are cordially invited and tickets may be procured from C. Laundy, from Ralph Dent and from F. S. Martin's Jewelry Store at 621 Fort Street.

The Boy's Club work of the Church of Our Lord has been progressing favorably in the last few weeks. The Trail Rangers, number twelve members, and the younger boys have just organized a club with the name "Woodside Rurts" and having at present seven members.

On Saturday evening last the Trail Rangers had as their guests the Beaver Trail Rangers of Metropolitan Church. The visitors took charge of the meeting and gave a demonstration of first aid. The meeting was followed by games and lunch. Thanks are extended to all parents who contributed to the success of the evening through donated provisions.

## YEAR BRIGHT IN INSURANCE

Manufacturers Life Report For 1935 Reflects General Improvement

The forty-ninth annual report of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company for the year ended December 31, reflects the improvement conditions generally prevail.

New insurance amounting to \$62,737,904 was written bringing the insurance in force to \$519,956,500, an increase of \$11,678,012.

Payments to policyholders and beneficiaries totaled \$13,471,898. Of such payments the sum of \$9,565,400 was paid to living policyholders, including \$1,006,822 in dividends. The sum of \$5,866,468 was paid to beneficiaries in death claims.

The assets increased by over \$9,000,000 and amounted to \$183,824,000. Bonds comprise \$66,973,223, as follows: Government and government guaranteed \$35,040,760; municipal and other public body securities \$17,455,430; public utility bonds \$7,667,503 and other corporation bonds \$6,809,629. First mortgages on real estate amounted to \$27,768,505 and investments on preferred and common stocks to \$5,039,948.

Policy and annuity reserves increased to \$113,554,909. Contingency reserve and surplus increased by \$886,181. The reserve for dividends to policy holders amounted to \$4,550,000. Annual dividends payable to policyholders in 1936 will be on a slightly higher scale than that of the previous year.

## Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

JANUARY 24, 1911  
(From The Times Files)  
Tokio, Jan. 24.—Foreign Minister Komura, in a speech to-day in the Lower House of the Diet, declared that the strengthening of the Anglo-Japanese alliance would be a powerful factor for continued peace in the Far East.

The Attorney-General's bill to curb the motor and the reckless chauffeur was the chief matter before the House to-day, the second reading stage being taken. It is intended to give all persons interested an opportunity to state their views while the bill is in progress.

Twelve prisoners from the Westminster Jail were transferred to the Hillside Avenue jail yesterday to finish their terms of imprisonment. The change is made because of the crowded condition of the Westminster penitentiary.

Yesterday afternoon at the Metropolitan parsonage Mr. Edward Godet and Miss S. Sanderson, both of Sooke, were united in matrimony by Rev. T. E. Holling.

The report of the city assessor and the city engineer on the matter of the extension of Pandora Street through from Harrison Street to Oak Bay Avenue has been referred back to those officials to consider the complaints of H. P. Heisterman and others that the assessment as proposed was inequitable.

In spite of the fact that they were playing a man short all the time, the Collegiate School beat the High School yesterday by two tries, both scored by Lafferty, to a goal kicked by Dickson from a try secured by Bob Steele.

## CATHOLIC CLUB NAMES LEADERS

The annual elections of the Catholic Young People's Club were held last Wednesday evening. Before the elections took place two minutes silence was kept for the late King George V.

Prayers were said for the late Archbishop O'Donnell of Halifax.

Austin Scarborough, assisted by Helen Tulk and Peter Hartnell, con-

ducted the elections. The following were elected to office: President, James Grant; vice-president, Mona Kelvin; treasurer, Eulalie O'Neill; secretary, Doris Allen. Elected to the executive council were John Grant, Irene Banty, Stella Hynes, Cap Colling and Al Dummert.

The new president and the executive were welcomed to their new duties by the chaplain, Father Gaudete. Father Gaudete praised the retiring officials for their excellent work during the year.

Taking over their respective offices, the new council immediately held the first business meeting of the year.

A resolution was passed to the effect that there would be no bowling next Tuesday, the day of the funeral of King George.

It was decided to advance the next business meeting to the first week in February. On February 12 a Valentine dance has been planned with Jack Christian as chairman of the dance committee.

### INSTANTLY YOU CATCH COLD DO THESE 2 THINGS



1 Take two "Aspirin" Tablets. Make sure you get "Aspirin."



2 Drink a full glass of water. Repeat treatment in 2 hours.

### "ASPIRIN"

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SATURDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

#### EARLY SHOPPING VALUES—9 TO 10 A.M.

Butter, Springfield	Mild Cheese	Cottage Rolls
Limit 3 lbs.	15c	Smoked 20c

3 lbs.	lbs.	lb.
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ALL-DAY VALUES

"A" Grade Eggs, large, doz.	24c	"A" Pullets, doz.	18c
Sliced Bacon, lb.	25c	Ayrshire Ham, lb.	28c
Sliced Boiled Ham, 1/2 lb.	22c	Baked Ham, 1/2 lb.	24c
Sliced Ham, Corned Beef, 1/2 lb.	8c	Prude Liver, Blood Sausage, lb.	22c
Vegetable Shortening, lb.	11c	Wiener, lb.	22c
Beef Dripping, lb.	7c		

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## SEED-GROWING PRIZES GIVEN

Donald Van freight and Sidney School Receive Cups at Rotary Luncheon

Encouragement was given to Vancouver Island's young gardeners at yesterday's luncheon of the Rotary Club when prizes were presented to winners in the club's annual seed-growing contest.

Donald Van freight, Royal Oak, carried off the Butcher Cup and a cash prize with a mark of 95.5; second was Campbell Warrender, Sidney, with 94.4, and third, Laura Young, Keating.

The Rotary Club cup for the school with the highest average went to Sidney for the fourth consecutive year. The cup was received by James Ramsay principal of the school. Keating school was second and West Saanich third.

Prizes and certificates were presented to school winners as follows: Irene Villers, Sidney; Roy Jackson, Keating; Allan Duval, Prospect Lake; David Moir, Langford; Myrtle Slaggett, West Saanich; Kenneth Clark, Shirley; Bernard Kellow, Royal Oak; James Horwood, Sooke; Laurence Jones, Saanichton.

The following received certificates: Maude Harmense, Keating; Maurice Mitchell, Keating; Lisette de Lure, West Saanich; Bruce Baker, Sidney; Lorrie Roberts, Sidney; Raymond Clark, Shirley.

The presentations were made by E. M. Straight of the Saanichton Experimental Farm.

**ISLAND'S FIRST GARDEN**  
The interesting and little-known history of the first garden on Vancouver Island, planted 150 years ago this year, was related to the club and the children who attended the luncheon by J. B. Munro, Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

Munro referred to the story that Francis Drake had landed on the shores of this city in 1579, and planted the first acorns from which Victoria's many oak trees have sprung. He personally, he said was inclined to believe this legend was true.

However, the first garden originated in 1876, through an attack of scurvy suffered by the crew of a British vessel which put in at Nootka. A makeshift hospital had been set up on shore, and to give the convalescents an opportunity to profit by nature's healing, a garden was started. John McKay, an Irishman, was put in charge of it. When the ship left Nootka, he stayed behind and tended his little plot.

There also remained behind with him a couple of goats, the first on the island, which played havoc with his garden.

McKay was still there in 1877 when Captain Charles Barkley and his wife arrived. He returned to Europe with them.

**TRANSPIACIFIC HONEYMOON**

The Barkleys were an interesting couple. Captain Barkley met and married his wife in Ostend, on his way to the Pacific, and they had the distinction of being the first couple to spend a transpacific honeymoon. It was also Barkley who first definitely proved the existence of the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

When the Spaniards took possession of Nootka, Don Pedro Gonzales, one of Quadra's officers, a great gardener, took over McKay's little plot, cleared it up, and planted there all the plants and vegetables of his own land. This garden in turn was taken over by Captain George Vancouver and his men.

Munro pointed out that the first garden of the mainland of British Columbia was not planted till twenty-five years later than McKay's plot.

Mr. Munro paid tribute to the work of the Rotary Club for the last twelve years in encouraging young people to take an interest in gardens.

He was introduced by Neil Lamont and thanked by Herbert J. Pendray, president.

The club was entertained with two Japanese dances, in full costume, executed by eight young Japanese girls, to the accompaniment of recorded Japanese music.

The club members stood in silent tribute to the memory of King George V.

**MULBERRY TREES FOR SUNK GARDEN**

Mulberry trees, of song and silk-worm fame, will decorate the sunken garden at the Parliament Buildings when it is finished.

H. H. Reed, head gardener, announced today that half a dozen weeping mulberries have been ordered from the nursery at Esquimalt. These trees will probably be planted in a month's time. They will be six years old and five feet tall, so they should make quite a nice showing in their first year.

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## New Zealand Is Subject of Talk

Mrs. Alison Peebles gave a most interesting address on "The Birthright of New Zealanders" at the diocesan meeting of the Mothers' Union held yesterday afternoon in the Memorial Hall, with Mrs. H. S. Brake, the president, in the chair. The speaker described the history of New Zealand and some of its characteristics, and also outlined the educational, medical and nursing facilities available under the state.

Members were asked to keep in mind the date of the dedication service to be held in the cathedral on February 20 at 2:30 p.m., commemorating sixty years jubilee of the Mothers' Union.

Prior to the business, the members joined in prayers for King Edward and the Queen Mother, and stood in silent tribute to the late King. Owing to the national mourning, the social hour at the close was dispensed with.



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# Social And Club Interests

## I.O.D.E. PAYS ITS TRIBUTE

Municipal Chapter at Meeting Marks Passing of Late King

Eloquent testimony to the memory of the late King, together with sympathy for the bereaved Royal Family and an affirmation of loyalty to King Edward, was expressed in the tribute voiced by Mrs. W. Ellis, regent, at the opening of the monthly meeting of the Municipal Chapter I.O.D.E. yesterday afternoon.

The chapter also stood in silent tribute to the memory of Miss M. A. Wigley and Dame Clara Butt.

### ENCOURAGING REPORTS

An unusually large attendance marked the meeting, sixteen chapters being represented. Among the reports received was that of Mrs. E. O. Weston and the secretary requested that provincial councillor nomination papers be filled in and returned as soon as possible and asked the primary chapters for the names of members who have passed away during the year.

Mrs. F. F. Beckett read a report of the secondary education committee which told of the excellent progress of various bursary holders. Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, the organizing secretary, who was absent on account of ill-health, sent in a written report which was read.

In the absence of Mrs. George Miles, the child welfare report was read, showing twenty-five hampers, as well as clothing and milk, had been sent at Christmas time to needy families.

It was with regret that the chapter received the resignation of Mrs. Andrew Mackenzie, convener of work in India, who had been obliged to give up on account of illness.

### PEACE DONATION

Mrs. T. A. Johnston, distinguished visitors' convener, reported writing to and receiving from Miss Mary Dingman an interesting reply. As an outcome of this, the chapter voted \$10 toward the peace and disarmament committee.

Mrs. C. W. Plumb, convener of soldiers' graves, presented a report, and a standing vote of appreciation was given to her for her excellent work in this respect.

Mrs. F. E. Corby, Girl Guide convener, appealed for Guiders, urging the great need of leaders in this worthwhile movement.

### FOUNDERS' DAY TEA

The municipal officers, under the convener of the first vice-regent, Mrs. K. C. Symons, will act as hostesses to all I.O.D.E. members at a tea at headquarters on Thursday, February 13, from 3 to 5:30 p.m. to celebrate the thirty-sixth anniversary of Founders' Day.

The annual meeting of Municipal Chapter will be held on March 26, when the members of Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie and Commodore Broughton Chapters will be the tea hostesses.

The nominations committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. H. Carter, convener; Mrs. Cashmore and Miss Grimson. Entertainment for the Rockland Park Union on the recent temperance contest and said that it had been unusually good. A resolution was passed in which the member of the Frances Willard Union protested against any proposal to increase the families of public drinking of alcoholic beverages, and, in particular, any change of law or regulation granting legal rights to sell or supply intoxicating liquors, including beer or wine, in restaurants, cafes or public dining-rooms in British Columbia. Mrs. Holland spoke of conditions in England and said she considered them better than in Canada. Refreshments were served after the convener of Mrs. Kyrie Symons.

## WAS COMPOSER OF "BECAUSE"

Mme. Guy d'Hardenot, noted English Musician, Dies at Ripe Age

London, Jan. 24.—Composer of "Because," which is so frequently chosen as a solo for wedding ceremonies, Mme. Guy d'Hardenot, famous song composer, passed away in her home in St. John's Wood recently, aged seventy-eight.

Madam d'Hardenot left a treasury of simple but heart-stirring melodies, from the most famous of which "Because," she made a fortune. More than 1,000,000 copies of the ballad were sold and the writer drew "sheet" royalties, recording and performing royalties up to her death.

Madame d'Hardenot, formerly Mlle. Helen Guy, took her name from Hardeot Castle in Northern France, near which she was born, and which later became her father's property.

### COMPOSER AT FIFTEEN

Her first work, published when she was fifteen, was "Sons Tol." It was sung by Mme. Calve and Melba and had world success.

Mr. E. Goodman, Mme. d'Hardenot's friend for more than forty years and director of Messrs. Chapel, her publishers, related to a reporter how her other songs had included "I Know a Lovely Garden," "Wait," "The Dawn," "I Send You Roses" and "I Bid My Love."

"She made her home in London at the beginning of the century," he went on, "and was always the centre of brilliant musical gatherings."

"She was lavish in help and advice to struggling composers and singers, and even gave lessons to those who needed encouragement."

"She had a very considerable income from her compositions, but I know that she gave much money away."

Mme. d'Hardenot's only son was drowned at the age of sixteen, thirty years ago.

## A LITTLE FAIRY FROM PEACE RIVER



Violet Donna, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Northey, who is visiting in Victoria from Stewart district, Peace River, Alberta, is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Northey, of Ontario Street, and Mrs. M. Harris, of 3426 Calumet Avenue, Victoria. Mrs. Northey is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harris.

## -- PERSONAL --

Mrs. E. H. Anderson of Vancouver has come over to Victoria on a visit and is a guest at The Angels.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Hawkey of Ethelton, Sask., and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jerry of Peace River, Alta., are among the visitors at the Dominion Hotel.

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The dance which the C.P.R. Tennis Club had planned for next Monday evening has been postponed indefinitely.

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Mrs. Gilbert Irwin returned to Victoria yesterday from Vancouver, where she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Christie, for the last few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Millar, Cook Street, have as their guest Mr. Miller's sister, Mrs. R. M. Wilson of Vancouver, in honor of whom Mrs. C. McCannel entertained at the tea house yesterday afternoon at her home on Richmond Avenue.

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Mrs. Jessie Clarke, of New Westminster, president of the Provincial Chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood, will arrive to-morrow morning to spend a short time in Victoria on business in connection with the order and while here will be the guest of Mrs. M. R. Pearce, Beechwood Avenue.

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The many friends of Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, who left last year to make her home in London, England, will be interested to learn that she addressed the Hurst Green branch of the Women's Institute at Oxford, Surrey, on Thursday, January 2, on British Columbia, her talk being illustrated by lantern slides.

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Miss Florence Oates, Miss Kay Hall and Mrs. John Hall, all of whom went to Spokane to participate in the Washington State Badminton Championships, returned on Wednesday afternoon to their homes in Victoria as the guest of Colonel McMullin and Miss McMullin, Miss Beryl Hyndman and Miss Vivienne Combe.

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Among the guests registered at the Dominion Hotel are: Capt. A. H. Rippon, Vancouver; Mr. Wallace Hamilton, Vancouver; Mr. A. B. Robson, Vancouver; Mrs. P. A. Howard, Deep Cove; Mr. Peter Bauch, Vancouver; Miss Ellen and Doris Mason, Dawson; Mrs. W. Blanchard and R. Carr, Dawson; Mr. G. Wall, Vancouver; Mr. E. C. Hunt, Vancouver; Mrs. B. Brown, Vancouver; Mr. Harold Sykes, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weld, Victoria; Mr. M. E. Jerry, Petro River; Mr. and Mrs. R. Hawkey, Ethelton, Sask.; Mr. H. N. Smith, Vancouver; Mr. W. W. Howard, Vancouver; Mr. J. Longmore, Vancouver; Mr. G. A. Carter, Vancouver; Mr. J. A. Brown, Vancouver, and Mr. S. H. Call, Vancouver.

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Miss Kathleen Taylor of Victoria, whose marriage to Mr. Ivan Green will take place early in February, was the guest of honor recently at a shower at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Straight, East Spanish Road, the Misses Gertrude and Helen Cochran and Gertrude Straight acting as hostesses for the affair, which brought together friends of Miss Taylor in the Sidney district, where the guest of honor resided with her parents before moving to Victoria a few years ago. The shower gifts were presented in a colonial house set in a landscape representing a snow scene. Tea was served from a table decorated with pink tapers and camellias. Mrs. George Cochran and Mrs. S. K. Halseth presided at the urns. Among the invited guests were Mrs. J. T. Taylor, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Taylor Sr., Mrs. Alfred Mather, Mrs. E. Campbell, Mrs. L. Gibbons, Mrs. George Cochran, Mrs. E. M. Straight, Mrs. Philip Brethour, Mrs. Douglas Godwin, Mrs. S. K. Halseth, Mrs. A. W. Hollands, Mrs. Stanley Brethour, Mrs. E. R. Hall, Mrs. C. E. Jeffery, Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. H. J. McIntyre, Mrs. J. E. McNeil, Mrs. J. Matthews, Mrs. J. Ramsay, Mrs. F. Simister, Mrs. J. Boister Jr., Mrs. A. Warrender, Mrs. W. Whiting and Misses Dulce Brethour, Gertrude Cochran, Helen Cochran, Aileen Cochran, Jean Straight, Gertrude Straight, Mavis Goddard, Gwen Hollands, Eileen Jeffery, Rose Matthews and Miss Ellis.

## Y.W.C.A. CLUBS ENJOY SOCIAL

Girls' Informal "Get-acquainted" Supper Proves Success

The Y.W.C.A. clubs met together yesterday evening for an informal get-acquainted supper and evening programme.

One hundred and thirty-five girls, with members of the Girls' Department Committee, set down to supper tables decorated with daffodils and pussywillows, in the soft light of green and yellow candlelight.

Each club in turn soon identified itself by a rousing club song, and between courses Miss Margaret I. Ryan, Girls' Work Secretary, led all in a selection of popular songs.

After the supper a more formal session was held, in the elubrooms.

A period of silence was observed in memory of the late King George V.

Mrs. R. Felton, convener of the Girls' Department Committee, introduced the newly-appointed club council executive president, Violet Myre, of the Junior Business Club; vice-president, Dorothy Dodge, Y-Owence; secretary-treasurer, Edna Teagle, Senior Business, Mrs. W. M. Walker, also of the committee, spoke a few words of welcome and wished the council all success for the months ahead.

The new council president then took the chair and called upon the presidents of each club to tell the other groups about the interesting things which they have been doing so far this year. Reports were given from the Senior Business Club by Leila Leask, Versatile Club by Pat Kerchin, Y-Owence Club by Vivian Doule, Junior Business Club by Ruth Adams, Outdoor Club by Pat Moule, Pirates Club by Margaret Lambie, Typing Group by Frances Wood and Development Report, by Violet Myre.

The next part of the programme was held in the recreation room where each club put on a clever skit. There was great variety in plot, scenery and costumes, bringing many a hearty laugh, and much applause from the audience. The various skits were: "The Modern Cinderella," by Junior Business Club; "The Evolution of the Bathing Suit," by Swimming Club; "The Skating Dance," by Tap Dancing Class; "The Ballroom," by Tap Dancing Class; "Reinventing," by Outdoor Club; "The Baby," by Senior Business Club; "Pyramids," by Gym Class; "Giant," by Basketball Team; "Dairy Bell," by Tap Dancing Class; "The Little Red School House," by Versatile Club; "Pantomime," symbolizing the Y.W.C.A., by Y-Owence Club.

The programme finished with a friendly circle and closing song.

## TO TAKE ROLE IN FESTIVAL PLAY



Miss Faith Cumming, who will take the role of "Lizzia" in "Boecca's Untold Tale," the Beaconsfield Regional Contest of the 1936 Dominion Drama Festival which will open at the Empire Theatre on Wednesday evening, January 29.

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## Local Woman Treasures Old Souvenir of Kipling

Mrs. John J. Burns Met Poet During South African War Days; As Nursing Sister on "Maine" Was Presented to Queen Victoria

The arm of an Indian attendant and each of the nursing sisters was presented to Her Majesty.

Mrs. Burns was particularly impressed with the fascinating smile of this "very little woman, but every inch a queen," who regarded them so benignly.

Her Majesty spoke a few words to each, and then addressed them all:

"It is very sweet of you to have come, and I want to say how much I appreciate your kindness in coming here to take care of my men."

Before their departure from the castle the American visitors were shown throughout the royal apartments, and signed their names in the special visiting book opposite to those of the Hohenzollerns.

Later in the afternoon they were guests of Princess Christian at tea at Cumberland Lodge. Princess Louise was also their hostess at Kensington Palace, showing them through the royal residence. Other visits were paid to some of Britain's noble houses.

**RECEIVED GIFTS**

On December 23, 1899, the Maine sailed for South Africa. Before the ship left the nurses received lovely gifts, Mrs. Richards, whose nom de plume "John Oliver Hobbs" has made her so famous, came aboard with specially designed souvenir spoons for each one. Richard was accompanied by Madam Jonatha, court pianiste, who played for him and his wife.

**SERVED ON HOSPITAL SHIP**

The story of the hospital ship, as related by Mrs. Burns, and her six weeks' sojourn in London, is of particular interest at this time. Of the 7,000 or 8,000 Canadian soldiers who enlisted in the South African campaign, it is extremely likely, too, that some of them passed at least a part of their convalescence aboard the hospital ship Maine as it lay off Durban in Delago Bay.

The Society of American Ladies, residing in London at that time, headed by Lady Randolph Churchill, offered to the British Government a completely staffed and equipped hospital ship to care for the British wounded. The generous offer was accepted and the liner Maine was lent by the Atlantic Transport Line for the purpose, making two trips to South Africa.

Mrs. Burns, then Miss Sara MacLean, a native of New York State and a graduate of Bellevue Hospital, was one of the four nursing sisters chosen. The ship sailed from New York on November 11, 1899, for England, where for six weeks the medical staff and sisters were elaborately fitted.

The highlight of the sojourn in England was the luncheon in their honor at Windsor Castle. During the luncheon, at which a magnificent gold service was used, they were told that Queen Victoria would receive them at 3 o'clock.



## QUARTETTE IN FINE RECITAL

Hart House Musicians Thrill Big Audience With Their Art

By G.J.D.

Of more than ordinary interest to a large Victoria audience was the visit of the Hart House String Quartette, in a recital at the Empress Hotel yesterday evening. It was an occasion when the famous string players came to us with its recently appointed new leader, Mr. James Levey, and when he and his three confederates came forward to the platform they were greeted with spontaneous outbursts of applause.

Schumann once said that Sebastian Bach is the musicians' Bible, and too in many ways it may be said that in a string quartette, its leader is its Bible.

The Hart House Quartette is an important Canadian institution, which in its years of extreme usefulness has found wide fame. Each player on his respective instrument is a musician from the heart to the finger tips, and is now composed of James Levey, its leader, and first violin, H. Arn Adaskin, second violin; Milton Blackstone, viola, and Boris Hambourg, cellist.

In its re-creative atmosphere the quartette played yesterday as a giant refreshed. That was soon made apparent when the four artists settled down to the opening quartette, Mozart's D minor, No. 13. Here the pell-mell was invested with beauty in its co-ordinated and fine spirit of accomplishment, nearly all problems having been solved and reduced to a common denominator, interpretation planned down to an exquisite definition. Above all the timbre between the tones of the four instruments had refinement to the highest level, and unity of purpose and feeling.

Surely have they found out all that there is in chamber music, and in the many thrilling moments throughout the evening the beauty of the pure, sweet pulsating sounds issuing from the four instruments was beyond words, with especial reference to the lovely "Canzonette" (Mendelssohn); the divine Molto Adagio, in the concluding quartette—Beethoven's E minor, Op. 29, No. 2, and again in the Andante of the Mozart.

Finished art, too, was in the contrasting gay and jolly Minuetts, in its sheer musical melodic beauty, that stirred the audience to enthusiasm, as did the more robust music of "Red Murdoch," by J. B. McEwen, the principal of the R.A.M. London,

which followed the superb soloist of Joseph Speaight's "The Lonely Shepherd."

### BEETHOVEN QUARTETTE

## Lady Astor And Mrs. Catt Talk

Exchange Peace Views Over Transatlantic Telephone

Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 24.—Lady Astor and Carrie Chapman Catt, peace crusaders of Great Britain and the United States, yesterday discussed over transatlantic telephone the threat of another European war.

This was, in truth a splendid piece of work, and following its conclusion they were twice summoned to the platform, the clamorous plaudits finding reward in a lovely bit of playing of Tchaikovsky's famous "Andante Cantabile."

In tribute of the death of King George V., the quartette opened the programme with the Scottish lament, "Flowers of the Forest," this being followed with all singing the measured strains of the National Anthem.

The visit of the quartette was sponsored by Violet Wilson (Frederic Shipman Concerts), and the Beaux Arts Society.

## LOST HER SUIT AGAINST HOTEL

Actress Claimed Damages For Alleged Humiliation By Calgary Hotel

Canadian Press

Calgary, Jan. 24.—Miss Elizabeth Bellairs, former New York actress, who refused to tell her age, lost her suit yesterday for \$125 damages for alleged "humiliation" and breach of contract against the York Hotel of Calgary.

Judge W. A. Macdonald in district court dismissed the suit. Miss Bellairs claimed her room was closed to her because she had decline to pay the bill. She said the hotel charged her \$1.50 a day for her room instead of \$15 a month.

The actress testified she was forced to go out on the streets with only 30 cents in her possession, her property having been retained by the hotel.

"A hotel keeper is not bound to receive a guest until the price or accommodation is tendered," Judge Macdonald ruled. "He is not obliged to accommodate a guest on trust. He may eject a guest for proper cause."

### MARRIES BEFORE FINAL DECREE

Associated Press

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 23.—Mrs. Mae Keaton, divorced wife of frozen-faced Buster Keaton of the films, married Sam Fuller, Hollywood writer, in Tia Juana, Mexico, yesterday.

The marriage ceremony was performed despite the fact Mrs. Keaton's divorce does not become final until next October. The couple said after the ceremony they would occupy separate homes in Los Angeles until the final decree is entered, to comply with the California law.

## BLACK DRESS FOR OPENING

Parliament Ceremonial at Ottawa to Be Marked By Mourning

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—Major A. R. Thompson, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, yesterday issued official instructions governing the dress ceremonial at the opening of Parliament.

Women attending as invited guests will wear black evening dress with long black gloves, while men in full evening dress will wear black waistcoats and black ties.

Military uniforms will feature black crepe arm bands 3½ inches deep, on the left arm, and black gloves.

Women attending in street attire are requested to wear "appropriate dark dress," while men in morning dress or lounge suits are asked to wear black ties.

Spectators who will be given seats on the floor of the Senate will be limited to the official list. Invitations already issued to those who will sit in the reserved gallery or the Senate ante-chamber will not be cancelled.

The north gallery of the Senate will be open as usual to the general public, and in the House of Commons the normal procedure will be followed.

## Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRIDGE

MAKE OLDER CHILD SURE OF YOUR LOVE, EVEN AFTER THE NEW BABY COMES

The only child, who has enjoyed the exclusive affection of his parents, suffers a real blow when he is compelled to divide this with another child. Jealousy is the outcome of his emotions, but his actions are those of a bewildered, frightened child who suddenly feels himself bereft of parental attention and love.

Mrs. A. L. K. writes: "My three-year-old is constantly trying to attract my attention since the birth six months ago of his little sister. I thought he would outgrow this by now, but he is worse. When I scold or punish him he gets nervous, and when his Daddy punishes him, he becomes nauseated.

### UNDERSTANDING NEEDED

He has started waking two or three times at night and wanting a light on. When company is there he annoys me so by demanding notice. I haven't time to give him so much attention, as now I do all my own work and have the baby to care for."

Every mother has the time it takes to prevent the child growing up with this bitter emotion toward the baby who has taken his place. It doesn't take so much time as understanding. Our leaflet, "How to Deal With Jealousy," may be had for a self-addressed and three-cent stamped envelope sent to Myrtle Meyer Eldred, in care of the Your Baby and Mine department of this newspaper.

### SHOW YOUR LOVE

Your duty is to convince the boy in all kinds of ways of your continued affection for him. Give him a new place as "only son," as "mother's helper"—which he can very well be—and as "only brother," to compensate him for the loss of his place as only child.

Appreciate his emotions, his fear of losing your love, which he now thinks is given to his sister, and you'll better understand how to convince him that his fears are groundless. Don't expect him to take your love for granted. Express it.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS OF ENGAGEMENTS

Engagement notices sent in for publication in the social column must be signed by one or other of the principals or by some responsible party. Such notices, if sent in unsigned, will not be published.

TO-MORROW'S MENU

Breakfast: Baked winter pear,

## ENJOYING THE SUN AT PALM BEACH

Among the prominent members of New York society who are able to escape the rigors of the eastern winter and bask in the sun in Florida, is Gloria Baker, beautiful half-sister of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt. She is shown above in one of the exotic print beach frocks which are smart for wear in a rolling chair.



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## SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

FALL BACK ON CANNED VEGETABLES FOR WINTER VITAMINS

By MARY E. DAGUE

There was some excuse in grandmas' day for serving unbalanced meals, but with all kinds of canned goods on the grocer's shelves, it is no problem to plan winter menus with essential vegetables. Here are recipes that make use of canned vegetables:

### LIMA BEAN CROQUETTES

Two cups cooked lima beans, 1 tablespoon minced onion, 2 tablespoons melted butter or bacon fat, ½ cup canned tomato, ¼ teaspoon Worcester sauce, flour, egg, dried bread crumbs, salt and pepper.

Canned or cooked dried limas can be used. Put beans through food chopper. Melt fat or butter and brown the onion. Add beans, tomato and seasonings. Cook over a low fire, stirring to prevent sticking, until thick. Spread on a platter to cool and become firm. Form into croquettes, roll in flour, dip in egg slightly beaten with 1 tablespoon water. Roll in crumbs and fry in deep hot fat. The fat should be hot enough to brown an inch cube of bread in forty seconds, or 385 degrees F. on a fat thermometer.

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### BAKED EGGS WITH SPINACH AND BACON

This dish is really a triumph because the stanchest spinach eater will eat and forget he is eating spinach.

One cup cheese sauce, ½ cup cooked spinach (it will take about 2 pounds fresh spinach to make this amount cooked), ½ teaspoon horseradish, 4 thin slices bacon.

Mix horseradish thoroughly with spinach. Put 4 tablespoons cheese sauce in the bottom of each of four individual ramekins. Add a layer of spinach and break an egg onto this.

Sprinkle with pepper and cover with bacon cut to fit ramekin. Bake in a moderate oven until eggs are set and bacon is crisp.

### TO-MORROW'S MENU

Breakfast: Baked winter pear,

cereal cream, creamed dried beef, muffins, milk coffee.

Luncheon: Lima bean croquettes with tomato sauce, toasted muffins floating island, milk tea.

Dinner: Onion soup, baked eggs with spinach and bacon, Chinese cabbage and grapefruit salad, fruit and nut pie, milk, coffee.

### CONCERT POSTPONED

Owing to the death of His Late Majesty the concert to have been given by students of the Dominion Academy of Music at the Shrine Auditorium, January 29, has been postponed until Friday, January 21.

Alderman J. D. Hunter will represent the city on the public library board for 1936 and Rev. Robert Connell and Kenneth Ferguson will be city delegates for the two-year terms of 1936 and 1937. A recommendation to that effect brought before the council by Mayor David Leeming yesterday evening was approved.

### Y.P.S. BURNS' NIGHT

Another interesting and profitable evening is planned for the regular Monday night meeting of the Metropolitan United Church Young People's Society. The programme is inspired by the anniversary of Robert Burns' birthday, and is appropriately entitled, "A Night Among the Heather." The members are asked to keep this date in mind, and any other young person who is not associated with another group, is most cordially invited to attend this gathering.

The drama group of the Metropolitan United Church Y.P.S. is planning to produce the three-act play "The Rock," by Mary P. Martin, in the near future. This is a deeply moving spiritual play depicting the life of Simon Peter.

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## The GOLDEN FEATHER

by Robert Bruce

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Tony departed, leaving Larry to stare abstractedly at the prints while his mind raced on furiously. Jean Dunn in the company of the most notorious gang of bank robbers in America—it couldn't be! It was too wildly, absurdly impossible to think twice about. And yet . . . that old infatuation with Sandy Harkins; the fact that Jean worked for a crooked lawyer who seemed to be the gang's mouthpiece; this sudden inexplicable absence from town; these woman's fingerprints on the silver—well, he'd know for sure, soon enough.

He waited in rising impatience until, at last, the girl at the outer switchboard announced the arrival of Bobby Wallace. Larry asked her to send him in at once, and when the young man arrived Larry barely paused to shake hands with him before saying, "Let's see it, Bob—quick!"

Bobby handed him the sheet of note paper on which, for after-dinner jest, Larry had made an impression of Jean Dunn's fingerprints. Larry laid it on the desk beside the unidentified prints Tony had copied from the table knife. As he bent over them, comparing them with cold exactness, his face became grey and hard; when, at last, he stood erect and looked at Bobby his eyes were very tired.

"What's it all about?" asked Bobby. "Just this," said Larry. "Jean Dunn is—or was, six hours ago—on the company of the Red Jackson and his gangsters!"

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Larry and Tony discussed the situation of the farmhouse veranda. "We'll fly up to Portsmouth and then dismiss our plane," said Larry. "Portsmouth's not far from Dover, and if we need any help some of the boys can get over there in no time. I wish—"

He broke off suddenly, went to the telephone, and put in a call for Mike Hagan of the Dover police. Two minutes later he had Mike on the wire.

Briefly and incisively he outlined the situation to Mike, winding up by saying, "Mike you seem to know a little something about everything—have you got even the foggiest kind of notion where or what this French Pete's might be?"

"Hmmm," said Mike reflectively. There was a long silence; then he said, "No, Larry, I haven't. I'll tell you what I'll do, though. I've got a good friend who is a plain clothes man on the Portsmouth force. I'll just run over there and meet you there, and we'll talk to this friend of mine. He might know something. At any rate he can give you a steer or two around Portsmouth."

"Fine," said Larry. "We'll be there by 5 o'clock and meet you at police headquarters. Okay?"

"Okay," said Hagan, and hung up. Larry turned away from the phone, just in time to greet Al Peters, back from the phone company offices. He reported that he had displayed his credentials and had been immediately put in touch with the chief operator in Portsmouth, who had been requested to give him every assistance. After some difficulties the call had been traced—to a pay station booth in a Portsmouth bus station.

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### CHAPTER XXXIX

When the big sedan whirled away from the Engle's farm, Jean huddled in a corner of the back seat and stared straight ahead of her, unseeing, her mind in a tumult. Besides her, Eva Brady sat at ease, smoking a cigarette; in the other corner Red leaned back against the cushions, a cigar gripped in his teeth, and kept his own counsel. The two men in the front seat were silent, also; and the car sped along over the road without a sound except for the hum of the motor and the whistling of the wind about the body of the car.

They did not go through Midlothian. Instead, they turned to the left and headed north; not, as far as Jean could remember, in the direction either of Plainfield, the railroad junction, or of Dover.

The read-headed man had practically forced her to get into the car. He had said nothing except, "We're going for a ride"; of Sandy's whereabouts she knew nothing, except that he had "gone on ahead" with Mr. Lewis. Jean felt herself a prisoner; the red-headed man seemed a monstrous and enigmatic embodiment of menace, with his expressionless eyes, pale blue conveying an unspoken but irrevocable threat.

They rode for perhaps five miles before she managed to regain enough calm to speak. Then her face clenched in her lap, she turned to her companions and asked, "Just where are we going?"

Eve Brady cast a sidelong glance at her and smiled faintly. The red-headed man looked at her in mild surprise, and finally said, "Just who wants to know?"

"I do."

He gave her another stare, subtly derisive. "You'll find out when we get there," he said at last.

(To Be Continued)

## Message From King to Canada

### Edward VIII Assures Premier He Appreciates Sympathy of People

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—King Edward yesterday expressed appreciation of the sympathy and good wishes of the Canadian people in a message to Prime Minister King. The message follows:

"Prime Minister, Ottawa, Ontario: Please accept my heartfelt thanks for your message of sympathy. Throughout his life my beloved father had the welfare of the Canadian people at heart, and it is a source of comfort to me to know that they are thinking of me in my great sorrow and wishing me well in the future." Edward R. I."

On the day of King George's death Prime Minister sent Edward a message of sympathy on behalf of the government and people of Canada.

Three former Governors-General of Canada have united with the government and people of Canada in mourning the loss of King George and have acknowledged messages of sympathy sent them by Prime Minister King.

From the Earl of Bessborough, who ended his term as Governor-General last autumn, the following cable was received by the Prime Minister yesterday:

"Lady Bessborough and I are much touched by your kind message on behalf of the government and people of Canada. We all mourn together the passing of a beloved sovereign."

Messages had been received earlier from Lord Willingdon, Viceroy of India, and the Duke of Connaught, the late King's uncle.

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**The Truth About Diet**

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Vitamin D is called the "sunshine vitamin," and a very apt name it is. Supplying health-giving benefits of solar rays, it has brightened the lives of thousands of youngsters, helping them to build straight, sturdy bodies.

Long before anything was known about vitamins, it was found that cod liver oil was good for children with the bone-wrecking ailment, rickets. In 1923, scientists learned that one substance in cod liver oil was responsible.

At one time—before there was such a thing as window glass, and before people began herding together in sunless slums—rickets was not a common disease. But overcrowding and industrialization began, and Great Britain, rickets became so prevalent that it was dubbed the "English disease."

Failure of growing bones to absorb calcium and phosphorus as calcium phosphate brings about the disease. The bones bend and bow-legs appear. The ribs puff out and become headed at the ends. A "pot belly" is not an unusual symptom.

Because the mucous membranes and other tissues of the body are affected by the short or invisible rays of the sun, causing the body to develop its own vitamin D, is one way. Ultraviolet rays, developed artificially from a carbon arc or mercury vapor quartz lamp, has a similar effect.

These same rays may be permitted to act on a chemical substance called ergosterol, producing a concentrate of vitamin D, which, in turn, may be added to milk. Food may be irradiated and develop vitamin D out of its own chemical content, or cows may be fed irradiated yeast and give milk containing vitamin D. And, of course, cod liver oil or other fish oils rich in vitamin D may be taken.

Remember, however, that in addition to this valuable vitamin, the growing body should have enough calcium and phosphorus in the diet to aid in formation of bones and teeth, a process which, incidentally, needs proper action of the parathyroid glands.

**TO-DAY'S HEALTH QUESTION**

Q—I have been suffering from painful feet and I can be on them only a short time. One doctor tells me to go barefoot; another says never to step out of bed without wearing shoes. They say the transverse arch is weak. The little toe joints are enlarged and painful, and a bunion is developing. What is the correct thing to do?

A.—The term "painful feet" is as indefinite as "stomach trouble" or "heart disease," so it is impossible to learn the appropriate treatment without a proper diagnosis by an orthopedic surgeon. Foot illa can be greatly ameliorated, if not permanently relieved, by an orthopedic surgeon.

"All right," said Larry. "There was a click as the man hung up. Larry replaced the receiver and called for Al Peters. When that agent came down the stairs Larry ordered him to go to the telephone company offices in Midlothian at once and try to trace

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11:30-Happy Piddler

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## BAND MEETING IS POSTPONED

Duncan, Jan. 24.—In conformity with the Dominion-wide day of mourning next Tuesday, the meeting of the Cowichan District Band has been postponed. It will take place in the K. of P. Hall on Thursday, January 30.

Evidence that the formation of the band is welcomed is the support given by all ranks of society in the district. Total collections to date amount to \$108. The committee also wish to acknowledge a piccolo has been donated by Mr. Lloyd of Westholme.

Many applications to join the band have been received by the committee.



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START THE DAY HEALTHFULLY  
WITH HEINZ TOMATO JUICE

## Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

TELLS SAFE, SIMPLE WAY TO TREAT AND RELIEVE AT HOME

If you have catarrhal deafness or head noises, earache, tinnitus or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels, you will be glad to know that there is a safe, simple way to easily overcome in many instances the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Take first a full dose of one ounce of Parfum (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Mix well and drink a full tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easier, the nose clearer, the noise, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the medicine. Loss of taste, loss of appetite, hearing, and memory, dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly 90 per cent of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and must be relieved by a treatment whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment.

**Fourth Effect**

First of all, Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine will check a cold in 24 hours and that's the action you want!

All drug stores sell Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine. When you ask for it, insist upon getting what you ask for. The few pennies' cost may save you a lot of anxiety.

## LIGHT POLL IS EXPECTED

Esquimalt Is Only Centre of Much Interest in Municipal Elections

## W. CHILDS IS NEW PRESIDENT

### Elected Head of T.B. Section of Canadian Legion; Other Officers Chosen

W. Childs was elected president of the Victoria Branch No. 18, Tuberculous Veterans, Canadian Legion, for the ensuing twelve months at their annual meeting, held recently.

Other officers elected were: Vice-president, A. E. Nix; second vice-president, E. V. Robley; finance committee, R. S. Standwick, H. Gibson and A. E. Nix; sick committee, H. Gibson, F. J. Crowhurst, E. Keen and A. Clarke; house committee, chairman, F. V. Banks; membership committee, L. Whitlaw and H. Gibson; district council representatives, E. V. Robley, with the presidents and secretary; entertainment committee chairman, A. E. Clarke; employment committee, the whole executive; Canadian Legion convention delegates, W. Childs and E. V. Robley; auditor, F. J. Crowhurst; T. W. Allen, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. D. W. Burnett was selected president of the Ladies Auxiliary.

In the wards Councilors L. C. Hagan and H. D. Coton have both been returned by acclamation, along with Reeve Crouch and Councillor A. G. Lambick, Ward Three. They last gave their annual reports, reviewing the finances of the municipality and work in their respective wards. Other candidates who addressed meetings were Trustees W. P. Jeune, A. E. Hall and F. G. Aldous and Charles F. Hunt, candidates for the school board, and Lewis W. Godard, police commissioner seeking re-election.

## U.S. BARS OUT "BLACK EAGLE"

New York, Jan. 24.—The announced plans of Colonel Hubert Fauntleroy Julian, Harlem's Black Eagle, to prepare for assassination by making arrangements for his own funeral have been gummed up. The government had ordered him banned from the United States.

A special board of inquiry at Ellis Island yesterday decided Julian had attempted to enter the United States from France without a proper visa.

When he arrived Wednesday from France, Julian said he expected to be assassinated "any day now," because of nasty things he had said about Ethiopia.

He recently said he had found Ethiopia was a barbarous country and he would be glad if Italy cleaned it up.

## LOOK OUT FOR THE "COMMON COLD"!

### These Are the Dangerous Days When Colds Are Easiest to Catch!

The Sensible Thing in Treatment

How often have you seen it—a cold to-day and something worse to-morrow?

That's the worst part about a "common cold." It's so easy to catch a cold, in the right way, from the inside.

It takes the four definite things of vital importance in the relief of a cold:

1. It opens the bowels, an admittedly advisable step in the treatment of a cold.

2. It checks the fever in the system.

3. It relieves the headache and fever.

4. It tones the system and helps fortify against further attack.

A fourfold treatment, in other words, Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine accomplishes definite and speedy results.

For more than forty years it has been the stand-by of thousands in the treatment of colds and is to-day the largest-selling cold tablet in the world.

**AUDITORS' STATEMENT**

On the matter of the financial statement of the municipality, over which a certain amount of innuendo had been heard from the Ratepayers Association, the Reeve said that the statement was prepared by an independent firm of auditors, and that the council had no word in its composition.

He explained that although the rate had risen from twenty-nine and one-half mills in 1931 to forty mills in 1935, actually the receipts from the rate were \$23,000 lower annually, owing to a drop of several millions in the assessments.

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**SCHOOL EFFICIENCY**

The ratepayers' candidates claimed that they could run the school board on \$35,000 per year, he said. To do so would mean "increase the size of classes already stretched to the limit, and in doing so to impair the future success of the children, and to increase the number of repeaters, lowering the general efficiency of the school and raising expenses again."

The Reeve reviewed the work of the public works department, the school board and the police commission, paying compliments to the administration of each.

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## Council Tells Work At Noisy Meeting

### Reeve Alexander Lockley Meeting Is Adjourned Shortly Before Midnight; Council School and Police Work Outlined

A vigorous attack on the Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association and on people of Esquimalt who criticize their own municipality was delivered last night by Reeve Alexander Lockley, speaking at a well-attended meeting on the Municipal Hall.

The Reeve revived the work of the 1935 council, and answered charges made by the Ratepayers' Association and its candidates.

He was consistently heckled by Councillor T. Harry Hodgson on the subject of a bond purchase-in connection with which Councillor Hodgson had suggested financial interest on the part of Councillor Head.

Councillor Albert Head, the last speaker, who is seeking election to a seat on the police commission, and who is also chairman of the municipal finance committee, became involved in an argument with Councillor T. Harry Hodgson on the subject of a bond purchase-in connection with which Councillor Hodgson had suggested financial interest on the part of Councillor Head.

Councillor Head pointedly resented the accusation. One member of the audience threatened to call the police, and another made threats towards Councillor Head.

The meeting was finally brought to order and adjourned by Louis de Costa, chairman, without Councillor Head being able to make any mention of the police commission.

**OTHER CANDIDATES**

Other candidates reviewed their work during their past terms of office.

Councillor Philip G. Goling, chairman of the public works committee in the 1935 council, gave figures to show that the department had finished the year with expenditures \$1,175 under the estimates.

"I think when you look and see what we have got in the way of roads and sidewalks, and then look around in other districts, you are pretty well served."

Councillor Goling attacked those who saw fit to criticize their municipality, and in doing so to lower the value of their own property and of that of their neighbors, and pledged his unreserved support of the other retiring members of the council, school board and police commission.

**POLICE COMMISSION**

Police Commissioner S. R. Bowden said that the police department was rendering fine service at remarkably low cost.

Councillor Thomas Hadfield, chairman of the fire and light committee of the retiring council, dealt with some of the planks in the Ratepayers' Association platform.

He said that their charge that the present council was a "bear garden" and their general attitude of innuendo without making definite charges was not likely to appeal to any but the most small-minded.

The council, he said, had done all in its power to reduce costs in all departments to an absolute minimum.

Councillor David A. Henry, a member of the finance committee, gave details of the municipality's sinking fund investments, and told how the fund's surplus had been put towards reducing the sewer frontage rates.

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**IMPERIAL LIFE REPORTS GAINS**

Assets Increased By Over \$3,800,000 Last Year, President Says

New and revised assurances of over \$25,000,000 were issued by The Imperial Life Assurance Company in 1935, showing the substantial progress made by the company, stated G. A. Morrow, president of the company, at the annual meeting in Toronto.

Cash payments to policyholders and beneficiaries were \$7,140,000, or an average of \$1,000,000 is retained and the total reserves of the company now stand at over \$62,785,000, a substantial increase over the previous year.

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These large payments to policyholders and impressive additions to reserves, assets, and surplus funds all point to the basic fact that the Imperial Life, like other insurance companies, is a depository for funds committed to the care of the company by thrifty policyholders who wish to make provision for the future or for the safety of their dependents, said Mr. Morrow.

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The ideal place for busy shoppers to lunch. Luncheon served every day from 11 to 2 o'clock.

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## NEW FROCKS

IN PLAIN CREPES  
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**3.95**



Dozens of smart new crepes to delight you at a tempting price! Every kind of daytime Dress, trim business Dresses, youthful college Frocks, and suitable styles for an afternoon at home. Dustrose, jadestone, Dresden, navy, brown, black.

And you'll want a bright, cheerful print to wear under your winter coat. These are in interesting 1936 patterns and colorings. Sizes 14 to 20 and 38 to 44.

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## ONE-DAY SALE of Outstanding Neckwear

At 25¢

Values to 50¢

Collars and Sets in plique, organza, satin and crepe; also Bowls. White, cream, colors.

At 98¢—Lovely pieces of frilly Neckwear and more tailored types. Values to 1.50.

At 59¢

Collars and Sets in plique, organza, satin and crepe; also Bowls. White, cream, colors.

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## CALIFORNIA STYLES IN New Cello Soi Straw-effect Braid

### TURBANS

NEW styles and trimmings of ornaments, quills and crisp veils. Smart for immediate wear with fur-trimmed or fur-coats. Also new Canadian spring turbans in black and colors

**3.95**

Good-looking Hats are on sale for only

**1.95**

Remember, all our Winter Hats have been GREATLY reduced.

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## HERE INDEED IS EXTRA VALUE Dull Crepe Hose

SUBSTANDARDS OF 59¢ LINE

These Hose are semi-fashioned dull, genuine crepe with firm little tops. Mothers can afford to buy them in half dozen lots for their daughters going to school. Eight popular colors! Sizes 8½ to 10½!

**29c**

—“Bay,” Street Floor

## Girls' New Skirts on Bands

Plain and fancy materials fashioned with kick pleats. Navy, brown, green. 1.95  
Others at 2.95

## PULLOVER SWEATERS

English Pure-wool Sweaters. Turn-down collar and two buttons. Red, navy, brown, green. Sizes 4 to 12 years

**\$1**

## CHILDREN'S WOOL VESTS

With and without sleeves. Sizes 2 to 14 years. Regular 89¢

**59c**

## Girls' Blouses

New White Broadcloth Blouses with Peter Pan collar and long sleeves. Smart for school when worn with tunic or skirt. Sizes 6 to 20

**\$1**

## GIRLS MIDDIES for C.G.I.T.

New Drill Middies, detachable navy flannel collar and cuffs... long sleeves. Ideal for C.G.I.T. Sizes 6 to 16 years

**1.25**

Others at 1.95

## NOTION SAVINGS

TWO-WAY-STRETCH GIRDLES — “Lastie” smooth-fitting Girdles 98¢

**98c**

RUN-E-STOP — To save your hosiery. Complete with handy case to carry in your handbag. 25¢

**25c**

## Suede Slips

— of a good serviceable quality. Adjustable straps and lace trimmed

**79c**

## CREPE DE CHINE

### Panties

A lovely quality for so low a price. Stock up on your Undies now. Tea rose and white

**69c**

## PRINT HOUSE DRESSES

Regular 1.59! Fresh, crisp Frocks in floral, check and polka dot patterns. Sizes 34 to 44

**\$1**

## Odd Home Frocks

Here's an opportunity to pick up a smart Dress from this clearance lot of better Dresses. Sizes 14 to 44. Regular 1.98

**1.59**

## STATIONERY SECTION

“WADDINGTON” PLAYING CARDS — In various designs. Single pack \$1

**30c**

BRIDGE COVERS — Smooth-finish suede. Good colors

**29c**

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## HANNAY LOSES APPEAL POINT

After four affidavits had been presented by Arthur Leighton, Crown Justice, Robertson at the Nanaimo

counsel, contradicting the joint affidavit of George Hannay and A. H. Jones, regarding alleged expressions used by Mr. Leighton in his address to the Nanaimo assize jury, the B.C. Court of Appeal yesterday rejected the first points in the joint appeal of Jones and Hannay.

The two men are appealing against a seven-year sentence imposed by Mr. Justice Robertson at the Nanaimo

assizes in December, on a charge of breaking into a Parksville store and stealing goods to the value of \$14.75.

The Crown is also appealing against the acquittal of Hannay at the same assizes on a charge of being in possession of keys, oil and grease stolen from the Union Oil Company in Nanaimo.

The appeal of Jones and Hannay is proceeding before the Appeal Court

with Hannay acting as lawyer for himself and co-defendant. Hannay claims Mr. Leighton in his address to the jury, but did not refer to him as a minister and dangerous man, up to all the tricks to defeat the ends of justice.

Affidavits were produced by Mr. Leighton this morning from Harry Langley, court stenographer; Robert T. Coveney, sheriff of Nanaimo; V. C.

Fawcett, court registrar, and Mrs. Constance Cunningham, all of whom said they heard Mr. Leighton's address to the jury, but did not hear the words complained of.

Hannay insisted the words were used.

We were interested parties and had reason to remember them, he said. Three persons sign an affidavit six weeks later to something

they cannot remember. I can remember every word Crown counsel said. I had every reason to remember them and I noted them down at the time. Six weeks is a long time for people to remember who are not directly interested.

Jones also told the court he distinctly heard the words used.

“I drew Hannay's attention to them at the time,” he commented. He also

claimed that he and Hannay could have got affidavits from other people in Nanaimo to this effect had there been time.

I am not familiar with court procedure. This is my first time in a case of this kind, he replied when asked why he raised no objection at the time.

With the court ruling against the two appellants on the point, Hannay

proceeded with the next point of the appeal, that through changes in the date of the assizes and the refusal to traverse the case to the spring assizes, he and Jones were unable to produce witnesses for the defence whom, he claimed, would have proved delay by crown counsel in replying to communications and short notices of the date the trial was to be held.

## Here's Value! Men's Tweed Suits

SIZES 35 TO 44

**\$11**



25 only! All-wool tweed Suits, perfect fitting and well tailored . . . art satin lining. Greys, Lovat and fawn shades. Peak or notch lapels. Styles for men and young men. If you want a Suit for general or business wear, inspect these—they're what you are looking for!

## BOYS' SHORTS

English style, in tweeds, blue serges and grey flannels. Fall lined.

**95c**

## MEN'S WORK BOOTS

Black calf leathers with leather and Pance soles and rubber heels. Strong and serviceable, and priced at

**2.98**

HBC QUALITY TOBACCO	
River Shannon, coarse or fine cut, 15-lb. pks.	50c
Kingston Fine Cut, 15-lb. pks.	60c
Kingston Course Cut, 15-lb. pks.	55c
Royal George, a popular pipe tobacco, 15-lb. fine	60c
Edinburgh Fine or Course Cut, 15-lb. fine	59c
Murphy's Mixture, fine or coarse pipe tobacco, 15-lb. fine	50c
Fort Garry Pipe or Course Cut, 15-lb. fine	70c
Bishopgate, a high quality pipe tobacco, 15-lb. fine	\$1
for Canterbury Cut Plug, 15-lb. fine	25c
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## Boy's School Boots

**1.98**

Mothers, see these, you will be satisfied with their quality and low price. Black calf leather Boots, Pance or leather soles and heels. Sizes 8 to 5½

## Children's Hurlbut Shoes

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Famous Shoes, widely known for their wearing and fitting qualities. Black and brown calf Oxfords and patent straps.

Sizes 8 to 10½, for 2.95 for 3.75



Black and brown kid Oxford pumps and straps—Cuban or high heels; black and brown suede pumps and straps—high heels; also black and brown calf Oxfords with shawl tongues and low heels. Stylish for street or dress wear. All sizes

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# Victoria Daily Times

SECOND SECTION

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## New Zealand All-Blacks Reach Vancouver For B.C. Matches

### THE SPORTS MIRROR

Will Oppose Pick of Mainland Clubs; Second Game Billed Monday

#### PLAY VICTORIA ON WEDNESDAY

MUCH DISCUSSION is taking place around the National Hockey League circuit over which team got the better of the recent trade which sent Earl Seibert to the Chicago Black Hawks and Art Coulter to the New York Rangers. Members of the Montreal Maroons think Chicago came off best in the deal. Cy Wentworth, who is a pretty fair rearguard, himself voted for Seibert. "Seibert is a durable player. He can hit a terrific body check. When he goes at top speed he is one of the best in the business," Coulter is a good man, too, but if I had to pick between the pair I would take Seibert," said Cy. He should know their respective values.

And then there is another angle to the Coulter trade. According to reports, Major Frederic McLaughlin, fiery president of the Hawks, stepped into the Chicago dressing-room after a recent game in which the Chicago club was beaten by the Maroons. He hurled some very acid remarks at Coulter.

Taking the midnight boat for Victoria, B.C., the famous visitors are scheduled to tangle with a picked Victoria aggregation on Wednesday before boarding the ship that will carry them home.

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O'Brien points out that clubs throughout the country are paying no attention to the U.S.L.T.A. rule prohibiting them from permitting professionals to play on their courts if the clubs share in the receipts. District associations themselves have contracted with Tilden Tours, Inc.

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#### Lew Rush Holds Fourth Position

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Two combinations led the field at the end of 1,570 miles in San Francisco's six-day bicycle race yesterday evening.

Dempsey and Allen, the American pair, and Duthberg and Wagner, the German-American combination, were a lap ahead of two passing competitors, but the former enjoyed a sixty-five-point advantage.

The standing:

Miles Laps Pts.

Dempsey-Alien ... 1,570 0 3,555

Duelberg-Wagner ... 1,570 0 1,490

Yates-O'Brien ... 1,569 14 1,775

Rush-Schaefer ... 1,569 14 1,130

Bennett-Van Slamb...

Grouck ... 1,569 13 965

Flynn-Thelein ... 1,569 11 1,115

Amman-Gruber ... 1,569 13 835

Triest-Hayes ... 1,569 9 820

Kins, then with the A's, discovered

Cramer when he dropped in at Beach Haven, N.J., to umpire a game in July, 1928. Perkins, or rather Mack, was rewarded with Cramer, the fastest big man in baseball.

J. Franklin Baker found Foix on a

Maryland farm and practically pre-

sented the big boy with the bulging

muscles to his old mentor, Cy Per-

### Touring Ruggers Open Three-game Series To-morrow

#### TIGER DAULA WINS MATCH

Takes Two Straight Falls From "Rebel" Jack Russell on Vancouver Card

Vancouver, Jan. 24.—Tiger Daula, massive Hindu grappler from India, took a straight two-fall victory from "Rebel" Jack Russell, Chicago, in the headline bout of a wrestling card yesterday evening.

Daula weighed 238 and Russell 210 pounds.

After three rounds, in which neither could gain a fall, Daula flattened the "Rebel" in the fourth session with a hammerlock and repeated with the hold in the next round.

Mayes McLain, 247, Iowa, and "Wee Willie" Davis, 238, Virginia, went six rounds to a draw, each taking a fall. Davis gained the first fall in the fourth round with a body press, but the Iowan came back in the next session to knock Davis groggy with elbow jabs and easily gain a fall.

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The company will be out eight months, swinging through the United States and Canada.

**LEW RUSH HOLDS FOURTH POSITION**

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Two combinations led the field at the end of 1,570 miles in San Francisco's six-day bicycle race yesterday evening.

Dempsey and Allen, the American pair, and Duthberg and Wagner, the German-American combination, were a lap ahead of two passing competitors, but the former enjoyed a sixty-five-point advantage.

The standing:

Miles Laps Pts.

Dempsey-Alien ... 1,570 0 3,555

Duelberg-Wagner ... 1,570 0 1,490

Yates-O'Brien ... 1,569 14 1,775

Rush-Schaefer ... 1,569 14 1,130

Bennett-Van Slamb...

Grouck ... 1,569 13 965

Flynn-Thelein ... 1,569 11 1,115

Amman-Gruber ... 1,569 13 835

Triest-Hayes ... 1,569 9 820

Kins, then with the A's, discovered

Cramer when he dropped in at Beach

Haven, N.J., to umpire a game in

July, 1928. Perkins, or rather Mack,

was rewarded with Cramer, the fastest

big man in baseball.

J. Franklin Baker found Foix on a

Maryland farm and practically pre-

sented the big boy with the bulging

muscles to his old mentor, Cy Per-

### STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

—By John Hix



McNaught Syndicate, Inc. 1-24-36

Before the invasions of North Italy by Attila and his hordes of Huns, the area that is now Venice was a clump of islands, inhabited by none but a few hardy fisherman who, thanks to the mud banks and swamps that cut them off from the rest of the world, enjoyed almost complete independence.

When, however, the mainland was over-run by conquerors, the swamp-surrounded islands were sought out by refugees fleeing for safety. People from many mainland cities fled to Venice's islands for temporary safety from time to time, returning to their homes when danger had passed. Some

mingled with the fishermen and their families, and thus Venice, the "Queen of the Adriatic," had her beginning.

During the sixth century, as a result of the Lombard invasion, the refugees settled permanently on the islands. When they decided to make Venice their home instead of their hiding place, began building the city which has ever since been a point of historic importance and scenic beauty.

Ancient Romans made wide use of stucco as a construction material very similar to our modern stucco. Modern interior stucco is made of gypsum and glue water or pulverized marble, fine

sand, gypsum and water. Exterior grades are coarser. The Roman material was compounded of powdered white marble, lime and milk.

In June, 1915, a German zeppelin was shot down in June, 1915, the only man to escape alive was the co-pilot who fell through the roof of a convent and landed on a nun's bed...

On Sunday, the 24th, the zeppelin was shot down by an allied flotilla as it neared its base behind the lines in Belgium. The bag caught fire and fell 5,000 feet before the control car, in which were members of the crew, broke loose. The car plunged through the roof of a convent and struck the floor—but just before this impact one member of the crew was thrown free of the car. He landed on a nun's bed, and escaped death. All others were killed.

The special event will bring together Gurdas Singh, another East Indian matman, and Billy Kohne, Vancouver wrestler, in a five-six-minute round encounter. Gurdas, in his first bout here scored a victory.

Tickets are on sale at F. B. Richardson's, 736 Yates Street.

**LANE TAKES NET TITLES**

Wins Victoria Club Singles Championship and Shares in Two Doubles Wins

George Lane, reigning city badminton champion, cut another wide swath through the championship lists in the Victoria Club Doubles yesterday evening, repeated

the men's singles crown and shared in gathering the men's and mixed doubles laurels.

Lane beat Des Bleasdale 15-11, 15-6, in the singles after the latter had advanced to the last bracket with a victory over his brother Harry.

In the men's doubles Lane and Frank Tyrrell teamed to beat the Bleasdale brothers and the city champion rounded off the evening by teaming with Ethel Saunders, women's singles finalist, to beat Des Bleasdale and Miss K. Harris.

J. Waddell took the women's singles and Mrs. Foote and Ethel Saunders the women's doubles.

Results follow:

**Men's Singles, Semi-final**

Des Bleasdale won from Harry Bleasdale, 15-11, 15-6.

**Men's Singles, Final**

George Lane won from Des Bleasdale, 15-11, 15-6.

**Women's Singles, Final**

Miss E. Waddell won from Miss E. Saunders, 11-6, 5-11, 11-3.

**Men's Doubles, Final**

F. Tyrrell and G. Lane won from H. and D. Bleasdale, 15-6, 15-11.

**Women's Doubles, Final**

Mrs. Foote and Miss E. Saunders won from Mrs. Goodwin and Miss Stylian, 15-9, 15-10.

**Mixed Doubles, Final**

Miss K. Harris and Bleasdale won from Miss K. Harris and D. Bleasdale, 15-6, 15-9.

**Mixed Doubles, Final**

Mrs. E. Saunders and G. Lane won from Miss K. Harris and D. Bleasdale, 15-12, 15-7.

**STANDINGS**

N. S. L. Canadian Division

W. L. D. P. A. P.

Maroons ... 11 11 4 49 34 36

Canadians ... 8 13 7 50 60 55

N.Y. Americans ... 1

# Americans and Detroit Register Wins In National Hockey

## Former Defeat Toronto Leafs In Extra Time

J. Jervs Nets Winning Goal  
in 3 to 2 Victory; Red Wings  
Beat Rangers

### CANADIENS AND CHICAGO IN TIE

Americans 3, Toronto 2.  
Canadiens 1, Chicago 1.  
Detroit 4; Rangers 2.

If there ever was a closer race in the National Hockey League than the one the Canadian division is providing at the moment the fans who stared popped at the standings today would like some old inhabitant to produce the documents and prove it.

The closest race in years has been overworked in describing tight league fights, but this one really is. The battling yesterday evening left only three points separating the first and last clubs, an unprecedented situation permitting a team to jump from the bottom to the top in two games.

With half the schedule finished the teams are practically where they started last November. On the bare figures it's strictly a toss-up which of the four teams will be eliminated from Stanley Cup competition.

#### LEAFS STILL SLIP

Toronto Maple Leafs, only two points from the cellar now and sliding steadily since the year started, complicated the situation by losing in overtime to Americans in New York. Conn Smythe's team would have gone into the lead over Montreal Maroons again had they won, but instead Red Dutton's Americans took the game 3 to 2 on Joe Jervs' goal and tied Canadiens, who played a 1 to 1 draw with Chicago at Montreal, for third place.

Compared to the situation in the Canadian division, Detroit Red Wings are walking away with the American section. They went into a three-point lead over Chicago by defeating New York Rangers 4 to 2 in Detroit. Seven points separate Red Wings and Boston Bruins, the trailers.

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**COSTLY PENALTY**

A penalty to Art Lesieur paved the way for the first goal of the Chicago-Canadian encounter. Tommy Cook, a father for the first time yesterday, scoring on a power play with Doc Romnes, Johnny Gottselig and Mosh March.

That was in the tenth-minute of the second period, and Canadiens

were leading 1 to 0.

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## Bowling Scores

OLYMPIC ALLEYS  
SENIOR FIFTEEN LEAGUE  
Pacific Metal Co.—G. Ouard 464, J. Nor-  
ton 452, A. Nett 452, J. Rowell 462,  
Total score 222. Total 2,496.  
• Mitchell & Duncan—Butler 575, Salis-  
bury 570, Cowen 575. Total 2,515.  
• Mitchell & Duncan won two.

Hudson's Bay Co.—Thurston 516, Mich-  
ael 428, Ward 428, Glover 524. Total 1,561.  
Sherit's Cafe—C. Steele 520, H. Short-  
er 520, N. Fell 492, P. Sheritt 568. Total  
2,356. Sherit's Cafe won three.

Service Clubs Tenpin League  
Revellers—W. H. Sturrock 512, Roberts  
482, Ward 482, Ward 482, G. A. Glenday 524, handicap 482. Total 2,496.  
Gyrus—L. Glens 460, E. Taylor 468, A.  
McNeil 462, N. Hunter 472, A. MacNeil  
468, handicap 462. Total 2,542.  
Gyrus won two.

Restaurants—A. Dow 428, B. Roote 436,  
G. Stickle 427, Ballantine 397, Roberts  
428, handicap 436. Total 2,362.  
Kingsmen—D. W. Moore 500, more 500,  
G. Kersey 509, low score 509, handicap  
269. Total 2,274.

Kingsmen won three.

Winnipeg—McLennan 560, Dickerson  
456, Stickley 427, Ballantine 397, Roberts  
428, handicap 436. Total 2,362.

Winnipeg—J. L. Johnson 512, V. Elwood  
512, E. McNeath 578, Total 969.

Winnipeg won two.

BAPOC FIFTEEN LEAGUE  
Baptists—Miss A. Blair 458, Miss J.  
G. Ward 427, Total 835.  
Anglicans—Miss M. Smith 450, Mr.  
McDonald 522, G. Sidwell 428, G. Leckie  
516, H. Williams 522. Total 2,687.  
Anglicans won two.

Lions—D. Wm 366, B. Schwarz 422, W.  
Lindsey 422, P. Douglass 426, E. Lindsey  
325. Total 2,232.

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## NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Tourist Trade Development Association of Victoria and Vancouver Island (incorporated under the "Societies Act" February 7, 1935) will be held in Spence's dining-room at 12.15 p.m. on Friday, January 31, 1936.

The meeting is open to registered members of the association and subscribers to the funds of the association.

Luncheon will be served at 12.15 p.m. at 40 cents and business will commence at 1 o'clock.

Mayor David Leeming in the chair.

Overnight Entries  
For Santa Anita

First race—Three furlongs: Bonicon 115, Flodden 106, Sweet Mystery 105, Mon Image 109, "Star Singer" 106, Air Flame 118, Pasha 118, Half Time 114, "Lucky Song" 106, Double Trouble 109, Skeetaher 109. "Mrs. C. S. Howard's" entry.

Second race—Mile and one-eighth: Kootenay Belle 98, Mystic Moon 103, San Ramon 113, Dickey Boy 104, Green Flame 102, Lady Prentiss 102, Hattie Mae 94.

Third race—Six furlongs: Georges Heir 112, Felwyn 107, Bessy 112, Sun-dad 100, Erin Lad 108, Ima Count 108, Lookout Below 96, Lolo 103, Faithfull Maid 107, Blackmail 104, French Princess 107, R. D. Powers 108.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs: Barracole 108, Irkonee 106, Bahamas 105, War Letter 98, Mumusie 104, City Slicker 106, Nahili 108, Chief Pilot 106.

Fifth race—One mile: Orra 101, Savernake 115, Tinternob 103, "Lloyd Pan" 103, "Rodney Pan" 109, Barnsby 105, Doran 109, Marisman 112, Dusty Prince 112.

"Pantages-Hoffman" entry.

Sixth race—Six furlongs: Pompey's Pillar 112, Proclivity 100, First Entry 100, "Sun Rap" 95, "Rosemont" 118, Singing Wood 126, Special Agent 102, Sound Advice 108, Time Supply 120, Darlie 106.

"Fox Catcher Farm" entry.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Single Regan 105, "American Emblem" 114, Royal Command 103, Lady Florrie 97, Boardwalk 103, Chartres 107, Uncle Less 116, "Midshipman" 110.

"Baroni" entry.

Eighth race—Mile and a quarter: Morpheus 106, Seth's Hope 102, Torro Blue 92, Oggia 103, Mrs. Let 98, Landown 99, Twisted Threads 107, Augeas 102, E. Cheevo 105, Tarbutick 114, Eighth Pole 104, Nappus 102.

The Victoria West Liberal Social Club will not hold its weekly old-time dance to-morrow evening, due to the death of King George V.

A meeting of the St. John's Ambulance Brigade will be held in the police brigade room this evening. From 8 o'clock to 8.30 there will be a lecture, and from 9.30 to 9.30 o'clock competition. The annual first aid examinations will take place on January 31. The teams will be selected from the following: W. P. Van Munster, David Pye, D. J. Harewood, J. McGrath, A. Ogden, R. Barnes, R. A. Clarke, J. Carmichael, George Lalley, John Strood, W. A. Moody, H. Stokes, A. Jarvis and William Flynn.

G. RENTON IS  
RE-ELECTEDReturned as President of  
Victoria West Liberal Social  
Club For Third Term

George Renton, who for the last two years has held the office of president of the Victoria West Liberal Social Club, was yesterday evening re-elected by acclamation to serve his third term in office at the annual meeting held in the clubrooms, 414 Skinner Street.

Major H. M. McGovern, president of the Liberal Association, was chosen as honorary-president, and C. J. McDowell honorary vice-president. F. Watson, was elected vice-president. G. F. Randall was re-elected secretary-treasurer. The executive committee is as follows: G. Miller, F. Tooby Sr., E. Orchin, Mrs. H. Chandley and Mrs. K. Orchin.

Reports for the last year were submitted by President Renton, and showed the club had experienced a successful year.

By holding dances and card parties the club's total net profit was \$621.23. The renovation of the clubrooms, which will include the installing of a new dance floor, is now being undertaken.

A review of other activities of the club were given by the president, who thanked them for the confidence they had placed in him and pledged his whole-hearted support in future undertakings of the club.

A silent tribute was paid to His Most Excellent King George V.

BEAVERS HOLD  
AMATEUR HOUR

The annual meeting of the Beavers Club, which will take place in the form of a banquet in the Hudson's Bay Company dining-room, will be held Tuesday evening, February 4, at 6.30 o'clock.

The election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

Following the banquet a unique programme has been planned to take place at the Crystal Garden. The programme will be entitled "Major Bay's Amateur Hour," with "Graham Cracker" as master of ceremonies.

Everything will be run off similar to that heard on the radio. There will be numerous acts in all, and the famous "gong" will be the accompanist.

There will be prizes for those winning the contest, which will be judged on the volume of applause received by each participant. The latter part of the evening will be spent in dancing in the upper ballroom with Len Acres' orchestra supplying the dance numbers.

The public is invited to attend.

## NEWS IN BRIEF

On a charge of being an inmate of a disorderly house, June Taylor was granted a remand until Monday, in the City Police Court this morning.

Rev. Dr. A. S. Jimrie of Emmanuel Baptist Church will be the special speaker at the Salvation Army in Esquimalt tonight at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

The City Council yesterday evening set aside \$100 to carry out a suitable service of funeral drapes for the City Hall next week in memory of King George V.

Dr. J. S. Plaskett's lecture before the Victoria branch of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, next Tuesday, has been postponed until Thursday, February 6.

The Y.M.C.A. Badminton Club dance, which was to have been held on Wednesday, Jan. 29, has been postponed until a later date, owing to the death of King George V.

Mayor Leeming and city aldermen, accompanied by civic department heads, will attend in a body the special memorial service in Christ Church Cathedral on Tuesday morning.

There will be a public meeting held by the Vancouver Island Unemployed League at their headquarters, 1910 Government Street, on Sunday at 2.30 o'clock. Conditions governing relief and unemployment will be discussed.

The annual parish meeting of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, will be held in St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. All parishioners are asked to attend as important matters will be discussed.

Estimates for the year for the Old Men's Home, submitted to the city council by Alderman Stanley Okell, chairman of the committee in charge of the home, were referred yesterday evening to the committee on estimates for consideration.

grading of the Beacon Hill playing field adjacent to Douglas and Niagara Streets, and the regrading of the east side of Central Park was authorized by the City Council yesterday evening on the recommendation of the parks committee.

The annual meeting of the Victoria Elks Club will be held to-night in the club quarters, corner Douglas and Broughton Streets, at 8 o'clock.

Presentation of the annual financial report and the election of the board of governors for the year will be the main items of business.

It is expected Gordon S. Wismer, M.P., for Vancouver-Centre, will be chosen chairman of the private bill committee of the Legislature at the coming sessions. The post was held for the last two sessions by A. M. Manson, R.C., now Mr. Justice Manson. Mr. Wismer has been a member of the committee.

Notice is given in the B.C. Gazette this week of the following change of firm names: Caygold Gold Mines Limited (N.P.L.) to Midland Oil Company Limited (N.P.L.); Gillespie, Hart and Company (Vancouver) Limited to Vancouver Mortgage Corporation Limited, and Empire Soaps Limited to Renton Distributors Limited.

A permit for the construction of a forty-seven room electrically equipped apartment block, at the corner of Park Boulevard and Heywood Avenue, was taken out at the city building inspector's department yesterday. The building is being put up for C. N. Forrest, Shanghai. William Semeyn is architect, and McCulloch & Harvey contractors.

If the city accepts the tender referred to the public works executive, the service will cost the city \$2,400 more this year than last.

The specifications set the date of expiration of the contract now under consideration either in January, 1938, or in 1937, with the right to renew in the latter case.

A programme will be presented in the Citizens' Recreations Room at 8 o'clock this evening arranged by Frank Merryfield. It will include selections by Rowies Boys' Band, concertina solo by Archie Jasper, violin solo by E. Antropius, impersonations by Eric Chalmers, dancing by Frances Merryfield, and magic and illusion by Frank Merryfield. R. S. Russell will be the accompanist.

A discussion on agricultural education will be conducted at the monthly supper meeting of the Victoria and Vancouver Island branch of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturalists in Speidel's Cafe this evening. Dr. William Newton, of the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Major H. B. King, technical adviser to the Department of Education, J. W. Gibson, and H. O. English will speak. The meeting will begin at 6.30 o'clock.

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LEASE TERMS  
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The City Council yesterday eve-  
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ing the services for our late esteemed  
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By Order,

MRS. GRACE COX, W.M.  
MRS. H. M. AUSTIN, Secy.

NAVIGABLE WATERS  
PROTECTION ACT

R.S.C. 1927, CHAPTER 140

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# Yankee Girl Up Eleven Cents On Mainland Board

Associated Press

New York, Jan. 24.—Inflationary currents continued to motivate various stocks in to-day's market, but apparently this influence was not so strong as recently.

The aircrafts and most of the mines pushed ahead, resisting profit-taking which appeared in other sections of the list.

The close was somewhat irregular. Transfers approximated 2,650,000 shares.

Early activity pressed the ticker tape for awhile, but realizing soon appeared and the volume dwindled. At that, a number of new highs were recorded.

Leading foreign exchanges moved briskly against the dollar at the start of currency dealings. They later backed up, then came back to around their best levels of the day. Sterling, at \$85, was at a new top since November, 1934. The French franc and other gold currencies were also strong.

Cotton sagged more than \$1 a bale at one time, but eventually recovered part of this. Grains were easier. Bonds were mixed, with federal obligations lower.

(By H. A. Number Ltd.)

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## TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Exchange rates at Noon, C.S.T., to-day were:

Pound sterling, Montreal, 94.98%.

U.S. dollar, Montreal, 99%.

Pound sterling, New York, 5.01%.

Canadian dollar, in New York, 1.00%.

Franc, Montreal, 6.64%.

Franc, New York, 6.66%.

In gold—Pound 12s Id. U.S. dollar 58.95 cents, Canadian dollar 58.82 cents.

## GOLD SHARES MOVE HIGHER

Toronto, Jan. 24.—A scramble for gold shares on the suspension Washington moves would affect exchange brought out heavy trading on the mining board of the Toronto stock exchange to-day. Prices ruled higher.

Done at 51 1/2 advanced 1/2. McIntyre 1/2 at 49 while Pioneer, Wright-Hargreaves and Little Long Lac added fractions.

Noranda, a strong spot in base metals, passed the 49 mark and other issues of the group were steady.

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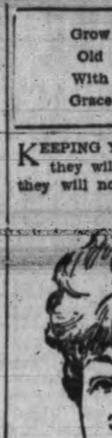
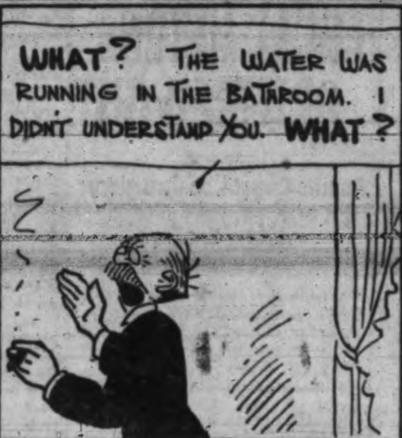
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Dorothy Dix

Says Youth  
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KEEPING YOUNG has become an obsession with women. There is no labor they will not perform, no privation they will not endure, no suffering you can pay a woman gratifies her so much as to tell her that she looks like a girl. No wonder she would not rather be accused of than looking old.

But the trouble with these feminine Ponce de Leonis is that they search for the Fountain of Perpetual Youth in the wrong places. They think to find it in beauty shops, but youth does not come put up in jars and bottles. It is a spring that bubbles up in the minds and hearts of people and it is fed by the soul, not by creams and lotions.

A woman, for instance, can dye her hair until it is the color of a girl's, but she cannot put a young girl's fresh beauty under it. She can have her face lifted until it is as smooth as a child's, but she cannot change the expression of age and experience in the eyes that look out of it. She can starve herself until she has a boyish figure, but she cannot make her old bones move with the lightness and swiftness of a flapper's.

And so, in the end, all of her work and worry and self-denial are in vain. After all, as a witty playwright says, you cannot change yesterday's cold mutton into to-day's lamb chop. And no women are more pathetic than those who acquire wrinkles trying to avoid them, and who grow old before their time working to keep young.

It is a pity that the women who expend so much effort and so many million dollars a year in vainly trying to get themselves rejuvenated do not know that there is a surefire remedy for age that never fails. That it consists in keeping young mentally, in keeping one's enthusiasm alive, in having as many interests in life as possible. It is not the hardening of the arteries that makes age. It is the hardening of the sympathies. For as long as these are flexible, as long as you can change your opinions and alter your habits and are agog with excitement over everything that is happening in this interesting old world, you are young, no matter how many candles you have on your birthday cake.

For proof of this you have only to observe how much younger intelligent people look than dull people do at the same age. Business and professional women rarely look their age. City women look younger than country women because their lives are more varied and exciting. Club women and women who have interests outside of the home are still more girls, while their stay-at-home sisters have sunken into middle age.

It is a woman having her mind lifted and her ideas massaged by conflict with others, and her understanding stimulated, and her enthusiasms touched up and restored to their normal color, that keeps her young. A vivid, entertaining, amusing woman who is up with the times is never old. It is the heavy, dull women who have never had a new idea in thirty years and whose sole conversation is about their grandchildren and their rheumatism who are old.

The only effective wrinkle-remover is good nature. No astringent, no face masque, no massaging with an upward movement and a downward movement and a rotary movement is going to wipe out the tell-tale lines around the eyes and the mouth of the woman who is a worrier, or who is peevish and fretful or a nagger.

It is the amiable, sweet-tempered women, the women who think kind and generous thoughts, the women who have the courage to meet life as it comes and make the best of it who carry unmarked faces with them, sometimes to the grave.

In spite of all that mortal ingenuity can do to fend off age, it is bound to come at last, but if women would put as much value on their dispositions as they put cold cream on their faces; if they would pluck out their bad faults as assiduously as they do their eyebrows; if they would cut out their fault-finding as religiously as they do the starches and the sweets, and if they made the same effort to keep their minds supple as they do their bodies, it would do more to keep them young than practicing their daily dozen.

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### Uncle Wiggily's Lone-some Bear

By HOWARD R. GARIS

One day when Uncle Wiggily was hopping around in his garden he heard an adventure he heard someone crying.

"Dear me!" said the kind old rabbit gently to himself. "This is very sad! Someone crying must see who it is and try to help them."

Uncle Wiggily was always like that—willing to help. So he started toward the crying声.

"This may be one of the Bad Chaps crying to fool me," he thought. He knew the Bad Chaps were a bunch of tricksters like that to catch him.

But as he stood behind a tree and listened, and the crying continued, Uncle Wiggily didn't believe it was one of the Bad Chaps.

"They would only make believe cry to catch me," he said. "And it is real crying. I'll see what it is as I can help them."

#### CRYING BEAR

He hopped on a little farther and he saw, sitting on a stump and crying into his shaggy paws, a big brown bear. The bear was a very large animal, with the claws of his paws and tail hanging on the ground where they had torn into little lumps of earth and mud. Soon there was a little pile of round stones like marbles, around the stump on which sat the bear.

Now Uncle Wiggily wasn't afraid of bears, for he knew a very kind, good man named Stuhtail, the father of Neddie and Becki. Though this bear didn't believe it was one of the Bad Chaps.

"They would only make believe cry to catch me," he said. "And it is real crying. I'll see what it is as I can help them."

What is the matter? Why are you crying?"

The Best lit his head, dropped a few more frozen tears and said with a sort of hoarse whisper, "I'm like turning

"Oh, I am so lonesome!"

"That's why you are crying, because you are so young and lonely," said Uncle Wiggily.

"Yes," answered the Bear, "that's why I'm very lonesome."

With many young tears and come home with me, said Uncle Wiggily. "I am not a very rich rabbit nor is my hollow stump a valuable. But I'm sure you will be happy here if you come with me. I have forty-fourteen sixteen little rabbit holes besides my wife and Nurse Jane and there is a nice bungalow near the bungalow you will never be lonesome again."

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"Many of its personnel were old friends of father's, and I was known to most of them. Other official doors readily opened to me, and in possession of valued facts, and under secret orders I returned to Moscow. I took the name, Oleg Boroch. It was my Russian mother's, from whom I inherit my dark eyes and hair.

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"Even she knew of my 'unholy fame' (she called it) as a celebrated dancer. With no ties to hold me home, restless and surfeited with success, I plunged more eagerly into the part I was destined to play in the Red war, soon coming. I had no difficulty in gaining the confidence of the British foreign office.

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## BIG STRIKE IS FORECAST

**Harry Bridges, Militant Longshore Leader, Says Closing Order to Be Issued**

Associated Press

San Francisco, Jan. 24.—A charge that a Pacific Coast waterfront lockout would occur soon was made today by Harry Bridges, militant longshore leader, with Thomas G. Plant declaring the employers had complied with every provision of arbitration award and agreements with labor.

Bridges, heading the so-called "left wing" of the Maritime Federation of the Pacific, said the shipping interests will issue the closing order "some time to-day, to-morrow or Monday." He appealed for a Congressional investigation of the situation immediately.

"It is a nation-wide conspiracy of waterfront employers, shippers and allied financial interest to wipe out the maritime unions of the Pacific Coast," Bridges declared.

"All we ask is that the unions keep this agreement," said Plant, president of the Waterfront Employers. "We have no contracts with the Maritime Federation. We deal with the old time, trustworthy American Federation of Labor Unions."

"There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the waterfront employers, but not to discuss Bridges' charges. We're going to consider how to make the unions observe their contracts."

Washington, Jan. 24 (Associated Press).—Edward F. McGrady, Assistant Secretary of Labor, started an investigation to-day of charges that steamship owners were planning a lockout within the next few days.

Harry Bridges, San Francisco waterfront labor leader, made the charges in a telegram to President Roosevelt and Secretary of Labor Perkins.

McGrady immediately asked department agents on the west coast to investigate. He also planned to confer with steamship company officials.

Coincidentally, the Luckenbach Steamship Company demanded that the Labor Department take action to release the Jacob Luckenbach, tied up at Houston, Texas. The seamen refused to furnish steam for the vessel because they claimed non-union checkers were being employed in handling the cargo. The company maintained this was a violation of a recent mediation board agreement.

The Rotterdam, which was rebuilt and refurnished a few years ago, is the oldest ship of the fleet. Registered at 24,149 gross tons, she was built in 1908. The 28,991-ton Statendam was built in 1929 and the Volendam and Veendam, each approximately 15,450 gross tons were built in 1922 and 1923, respectively.

The capitulation of the last line to cabin designation has been preceded by a bitter controversy in shipping circles over the classification of the new liner Queen Mary, which will come out in the spring. Officials of the Cunard White Star Line have decided to call her a cabin vessel, a decision which at first aroused and startled shipping men everywhere. Later it was decided to call the French liner Normandie a cabin ship, also in defiance of a tradition which holds that de luxe superliners are first-class vessels.

Many shipping men consider the redesignation of these large ships a foolish gesture, pointing out that all ships of similar quality will be classed alike and have identical classification.

## PILOTS' LOOKOUT

Princess Maquinna at Esquimalt, northbound from Victoria, 8 a.m.

Pukastan, passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, 11 a.m.

Phœax, to leave Chemainus for Victoria, 6 p.m.

Hadleigh, due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, 6:30 p.m.

Portland, due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, from Germany, 11:30 p.m.

Sutherland, due Victoria, to load lumber, Saturday, 8 a.m.

Nordpol, due Victoria, to load lumber, Saturday, 8 a.m.

\*Carries mail for Honolulu.

## QUEEN CHARLOTTE

Closes 1:15 p.m., December 18; January 15, 22, 29; February 5, 12, 19, 26; March 5, 12, 19, 26; April 2, 9, 16, 23; May 3, 10, 17, 24; June 3, 10, 17, 24; July 1, 8, 15, 22; August 5, 12, 19, 26; September 1, 8, 15, 22; October 6, 13, 20, 27; November 2, 9, 16, 23; December 7, 14, 21, 28; January 4, 11, 18, 25; February 1, 8, 15, 22; March 1, 8, 15, 22; April 1, 8, 15, 22; May 1, 8, 15, 22; June 1, 8, 15, 22; July 1, 8, 15, 22; August 1, 8, 15, 22; September 1, 8, 15, 22; October 1, 8, 15, 22; November 1, 8, 15, 22; December 1, 8, 15, 22; January 1, 8, 15, 22; February 1, 8, 15, 22; March 1, 8, 15, 22; April 1, 8, 15, 22; May 1, 8, 15, 22; June 1, 8, 15, 22; July 1, 8, 15, 22; August 1, 8, 15, 22; September 1, 8, 15, 22; October 1, 8, 15, 22; November 1, 8, 15, 22; December 1, 8, 15, 22; January 1, 8, 15, 22; February 1, 8, 15, 22; March 1, 8, 15, 22; April 1, 8, 15, 22; May 1, 8, 15, 22; June 1, 8, 15, 22; July 1, 8, 15, 22; August 1, 8, 15, 22; September 1, 8, 15, 22; October 1, 8, 15, 22; 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